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EUROPE.

A Coup d'Etat in Portugal—A Ministerial Crisis Effected by the Army—Seven Killed—Resignation of the Premier de Loulé—Succession of the Duke of Saldanha.

LONDON, May 20.—The following details of the insurrection in Portugal are published to-day: Gen. SALDANHA having taken the castle of St. George, after a sharp fight, wherein seven were killed and thirty wounded, entered the palace, and immediately resigned his command into the King's hands, who authorized him to form a new Ministry. This *coup d'état* was participated in or sympathized with by the people of Lisbon, Oporto and other cities.

DETAILS OF THE AFFAIR.

LONDON, May 20.—The following particulars of the *coup d'état* in Portugal have been received here:

The movement, which has been for some time in preparation, was confined to the army, and its object was simply to compel a change in the Ministry. The Duke of SALDANHA, having great influence over the troops, secured the support of the large majority of the garrison of Lisbon. Yesterday morning he was ready for action, and moved against the castle of St. George. This strong fortification, after a short struggle, was carried. The Duke then marched at the head of a large body of troops to the Royal Palace. The Governor of the palace had taken measures of defense, and the Duke found troops posted and artillery in position to oppose him. An attack was ordered and some shots were fired; but the soldiers on both sides were evidently ill-disposed to fight against each other, and after desultory firing they broke ranks and fraternized. The palace was left unguarded, and soldiers, volunteers, and some peasants who accompanied them, entered, displaying the popular flag and shouting "Long live the King, long live the army and SALDANHA; down with the Ministry!" Though greatly excited they committed no violence, and contented themselves with marching through the corridors and grounds, singing the national songs and uttering patriotic cries. The Prime Minister, the Duke DE LOULÉ, against whom the movement was directed, seeing the day was lost, tendered his resignation, which was accepted by the King. The victorious SALDANHA was admitted to an audience, and was requested by the King to form a new Cabinet, which task he consented to undertake. It is reported that seven men were killed and thirty wounded during the day. Though the cause of the Duke DE SALDANHA has the sympathy of the citizens of Lisbon, Oporto and other cities, the people took little or no part in this movement. The Duke intended it to be a surprise, and relied wholly on the troops for its success. What the effect will be cannot now be predicted. Great agitation prevails in the Provinces, where there is a strong party in favor of the deposed Ministry.

Debate on Infallibility in Progress in the Council—Opposition Extinct—The Danish Cabinet—Baron Liebig—Spain—Garibaldi.

LONDON, May 20.—Letters from Rome state that debate on the *constitutio de primatu* is now going on in the Ecumenical Council. The Bishops of Dijohn, Spires and Rothenburg have made speeches against the infallibility dogma, and at last accounts Cardinal SCHWARZENBERG had the floor in opposition. One of the organs of the Vatican says, however, that resistance is practically extinct.

COPENHAGEN, May 20.—The Ministers have tendered their resignations to the King. They will continue to act provisionally until their successors are appointed.

MUNICH, May 20.—Baron LIEBIG, whose condition recently caused much anxiety, is convalescent.

MADRID, May 20.—Another deputation waited on ESPARTERO, yesterday, hoping to prevail upon him to accept the throne. It is reported that he persisted in his refusal.

FLORENCE, May 20.—Three Italian frigates are cruising around the island of Caprera to prevent the escape of Gen. GARIBALDI to Naples. The Government has taken this action because it is known the sons of GARIBALDI are with the insurgents in Southern Italy.

The Corps Legislatif—The Forthcoming Address on the Plebiscitum—Press Prosecutions—New Members of the French Academy—Decentralization.

PARIS, May 20.—The Marquis DE TALHOUET, Ex-Minister of Public Works, has been elected Vice-President of the Corps Legislatif. MM. ROUHER and SCHNEIDER will address the Chambers to-morrow, when the vote on the plebiscitum is declared. The speech to be delivered by the Emperor to-morrow was handed at noon today to the Imperial printers....Three prosecutions against the *Rappel* (newspaper) for violations of the Press laws were decided today against that paper, and its editors have been sentenced as follows: In the first case, M. VACQUERIE to one month's imprisonment and 1,000 francs fine and M. BARBIEUX, director, to fifteen days and 500 francs. In the second case, M. CHAS. HUGO one month and 1,000 francs, and M. BARBIEUX fifteen days and 500 francs. In the third case, M. FRANÇOIS HUGO one month and 1,000 francs, and M. BARBIEUX fifteen days' imprisonment....Deputy STEENACKER was burned in effigy by a number of residents of his district, last evening, on account of his opposition to the plebiscite....PROSPER DUVERGIER DE HAURANNE, a personal friend of M. THIERS, and XAVIER MARMIER have been elected members of the French Academy.

LONDON, May 20.—The proceedings of the French Commission on the subject of administrative decentralization is said to justify hopes for important concessions to local government.

Charles Kingsley Appointed Dean of Rochester—Scientific Education—Personal—The Sappho's Victories.

LONDON, May 20.—Rev. CHARLES KINGSLEY has been appointed Dean of Rochester....The Royal Commission to draw up a report on the necessity for and character of scientific education, has been formed, and is composed of the Duke of Devonshire, the Marquis of Lansdowne, and Messrs. Lubbock, Shuttleworth, Huxley, Miller and Stokes....JOHN HENRY PARKER, F. S. A., the publisher, of London, is dead....MARK LEMON, editor of *Punch*, is seriously ill....R. S. DIXEY, lately editor of the *News*, is about to visit the United States....The *Standard* has an editorial article today inspired by the recent yacht and rowing races. The writer admits the *Sappho's* victory, and hopes it will be the last heard of "international matches, which do nothing but foster mischievous jealousies."

PARIS, May 20.—The victories of the American yacht *Sappho* over the *Cambria* create a marked sensation among Americans here.

The British Parliament—Inquiries on Various Topics Answered—The Greek Massacre.

LONDON, May 20.—In the House of Commons to-night Mr. CHILDERS defended the Lords of the Admiralty from the imputation of favoritism in the award of contracts for freight charters. Lord MILTON extenuated his conduct in withdrawing from the House last night. He said he did so because he was denied his constitutional right to ask and receive an answer from a responsible Minister. Mr. GLADSTONE soothed the gentleman by answering his question of the night before. The Hudson's Bay Company had fulfilled its engagements to the Home Government, and there was no subject worth litigation left. The trade licenses had been legally granted under the acts quoted by the gentleman. Mr. MONSELL said recent dispatches from Ottawa reported that order prevailed in the Red River Territory, and the new form of Government provided for that district promised the best results. Mr. SHAW-LEFEVRE recited the leading provisions of the new merchant shipping code which has been embodied in a bill. Its purpose is to protect the lives of passengers and seamen in unseaworthy vessels. Sir JOHN HAY and Mr. SAMUDA thought an inquiry by a Royal Commission should precede such legislation. Mr. GRAVES also dissented, and in the course of his remarks alluded to the reports about the unseaworthiness of the missing steamer *City of Boston* when she left port. He denied that she was overladen, and quoted American testimony in proof of his denial. Mr. CARDWELL thought the case was one not for inquiry but for legislation; the facts were notorious. After remarks from other members the subject was dropped. Sir ROUNDELL PALMER asked what the Government had done relative to the late massacre in Greece. The Queen's subjects were theoretically entitled to protection abroad, especially diplomatic servants. He repeated the details of the murder, and eulogized the victims. Sir HENRY BULWER denounced the Greek Government with unsparing severity, and urged a conference of the Allies to give the country a Government responding in some degree to the requirements of civilization. Mr. GLADSTONE urged at the present moment moderation of feeling on the subject. The official dispatches so far received were certainly unsatisfactory, but the correspondence was still incomplete. The House adjourned.

CUBA.

Slaves of Insurgents who have Aided the Spanish Cause Declared Free—Surrender of Insurgents.

HAVANA, May 20.—Captain-General DE RODAS has just published an order that all slaves belonging to insurgents in the field, or in foreign countries, who have taken up arms or served as guides to the Spanish troops, or performed any other service for the national cause, are henceforth free. The insurgent Capt. MESTRE, and some of his followers, have surrendered to the Spanish authorities at Puerto Principe.

THE WEST.

The Soldiers' Home—Heavy Whisky Fraud Cases in Cincinnati—The St. Louis Defaulting Treasurer.

CINCINNATI, O., May 20.—The formal exercises of opening the new hospital of the National Soldiers' Home were held, yesterday, in the music hall of the institution. The attendance was very large. Speeches were made by the Local Manager, LEWIS B. GUNCKEL, Gov. HAYES of Ohio, Gov. BAKER of Indiana, Gens. WILLICH and SCHENCK, and Surgeon-General WOLCOTT, of Wisconsin. The music was by the Asylum band and the choir of the First Baptist Church of Dayton. The occasion was one of great interest. Peter Schwall, Thomas Meghan and John A. Lindley, of Hamilton; Sigmund Levi, of Cincinnati; John Eberhardt and Caleb Dodsworth, of Cumminsville; Wm. Duffy, of Higginsport, Ohio, and S. D. Rockhill, of Cincinnati, have been before Commissioner HALLIDAY, charged with removing 300 barrels of distilled spirits contrary to the Revenue laws, in April, 1868. The cases were continued to the 27th inst., and the parties released on bail.

ST. LOUIS, May 20.—M. E. SUSKEY, the late defaulting City Treasurer, having failed to furnish bonds in the sum of $40,000, has been sent to jail to answer the indictment against him for embezzling $140,000....Mrs. SCHWALBENSTEINER and daughter were thrown from a wagon yesterday and the latter instantly killed and the former dangerously wounded....The Mayor and City Council have instituted a suit against the Gas Company to compel them to sell the gas-works to the city as provided by the terms of a contract.

The Gas Company has brought suit against the city for various sums alleged to be due for gas furnished the city during the past three years, aggregating over $300,000. This is regarded as an offset to a suit which the City Counselor will bring against the Gas Company. Three of the bondsmen of the defaulting City Treasurer, SUSKEY, have notified Mayor COLE of their readiness to pay their proportion of his bond. The fourth bondsman will probably pursue the same course.

The Fenian Expedition to the Red River.

CHICAGO, May 19.—There is considerable commotion among the Fenians of this city over the expected arrival, on Monday evening next, of Gen. O'NEIL, who comes to complete the arrangements, already nearly matured, for sending a force to aid RIEL against the British expedition now on the way to the Red River country. He is expected to make this his head-quarters.

A SEVERE REBUKE.

A Revenue Shark Caught—Technical Violations of the Revenue Laws.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—Acting Commissioner DOUGLASS has written the following letter to a person in Albany:

SIR: I have received your letter of the 2d inst., in which you state that upon the receipt of my letter of Feb. 8, you commenced five suits against ——— for using half-barrels for putting up tobacco a second and third time, and that, after four hearings before the United States Commissioner, upon the recommendation of District-Attorney ———, these suits were all dismissed, and you now write to inquire if there is no way by which Mr. ——— can be arrested for the offense charged against him. In reply, I have to inform you, that however reluctant you may be to give up this case, and to fail in claiming your anticipated moieties, I am entirely satisfied with the decision made by the Commissioner. From your own statement of this case, it was clearly a trick on your part—aided, perhaps, by the person who purchased the tobacco of Mr. ———, to commit the latter to a technical violation of the law, in order that you might bring the suits. Clearly, it was not out of any respect you had for the law, or care that its requirements should all be faithfully complied with, or fear that the revenue would be defrauded. I am informed that both you and your accomplice distinctly stated before the United States Commissioner that the stamps were thoroughly removed from the packages after they were first emptied, and that when they were refilled by ——— he affixed genuine new stamps, thus demonstrating that Mr. ——— neither intended nor practiced any fraud upon the revenue. Mr. ——— is a manufacturer and dealer in tobacco; he has given bonds in the sum of $5,000 for the faithful performance of all the requirements of the law and the payment of taxes, which may accrue against him. As a dealer and manufac-turer, he has paid considerable sums of money into the United States Treasury, and is, therefore, entitled to some consideration at the hands of the Government, to protection at least against voluntary spies and self-appointed detectives, who would set traps and search for honest men for the moiety of a hundred dollars fine, and sell their manhood for thirty pieces of silver. You ask for an answer to your letter that you may show to Commissioner ———. I shall be very glad if you will show this to the Commissioner, that he may know that I approve of his disposition of these cases; and, further, that he may know in what estimation this office holds men who may make a business of hunting up technical violations of law and entering complaints in hope of obtaining therefrom moieties and informer's shares.

THE EAST.

The Alpha Beta Phi in Portland—Criminals Sentenced in Boston—Insurance Matters—The Lime Rock Bank Robbers.

PORTLAND, Me., May 20.—The public exercises of the Alpha Beta Phi Society at the City Hall last evening were largely attended and much interest was manifested. Gov. CHAMBERLAIN delivered the address, Rev. J. N. PARSON, D. D., of Boston, read a poem; Hon. T. M. POMEROY delivered an oration. Chief Justice BRADLEY, of the Brunonian Chapter, was chosen to deliver the address in 1871, and ALFRED B. STREET, of the Hamilton Chapter, to deliver the poem.

BOSTON, May 20.—ELIZABETH CHASE has been sentenced to six years in the House of Correction for kidnapping NELLIE BURNS. THOS. CRAWLICK, convicted of manslaughter in killing PHILIP HOUGHTON, was sentenced to three years in the State Prison....The bill annexing Brighton to Boston has passed to a third reading in the Senate by one majority....A meeting of the policy-holders in the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New-York was held yesterday, in the Board of Trade, and it was voted that a committee of three prominent citizens of Boston be appointed to represent the policy-holders of Boston, to receive proxies and attend the next election of officers in New-York, and also to have power to investigate on behalf of the policy-holders in accordance with the suggestions made by Mr. PRUYN. A vote of thanks was given to Mr. MCCULLOCH, on whose motion the same was tendered to Mr. PRUYN and Judge DAVIS.

BELFAST, Me., May 20.—An armed guard ordered by Gov. CHAMBERLAIN, with the concurrence of the bank officers, is now on guard at the jail in this city, to prevent the escape of the parties connected with the Lime Rock Bank robbery. This relieves Sheriff CALDERWOOD from responsibility for their custody.

Trial of the "Fire-Bug" Leonard Choate—The Case Deferred to November.

BOSTON, May 20.—The case of LEONARD CHOATE, the "Fire-bug," was yesterday called up in the Superior Court, (Criminal Term,) now sitting in Newburyport, Judge DEVENS presiding. The indictment was very carefully prepared, charging LEONARD CHOATE as principal or accessory in firing the Harris-street Church, Newburyport, Dec. 16, 1869. After the reading of the indictment, CHOATE pleaded not guilty. The counsel for the defendant, Messrs. A. A. ABBOTT and S. B. IVES, Jr., at once asked for time to consult their client, and the entire forenoon was occupied by them in deliberations, and at the close of the morning session they had not come in Court with the result of their consultations. At 3 o'clock the Court came in, and Mr. IVES presented a written statement to the Court, saying, in substance, that at a former term of the Court CHOATE was convicted, and his counsel had filed exceptions to the rulings of the Judge on some important points; that these exceptions were to be argued at the Law Term of the Supreme Court next November; that these same points would be raised in this case, if brought to trial, and in behalf of his client he proposed now to enter a plea of *nolo contendere*, arguing that this plea was not to be considered as an admission of his client's guilt. The Court admitted the plea, with the understanding that if the rulings of the Court on the former trial are sustained, then CHOATE is to be sentenced for that conviction, as well as on this indictment, without further trial. The Government had forty witnesses on hand. CHOATE has been remanded to jail until the November decision is known. He is much thinner than when first arrested, and his long confinement is wearing upon him.

THE RELIGIOUS CONVENTIONS.

General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church at Philadelphia—Reformed Presbyterian General Synod in Cincinnati—The Methodists in Memphis.

PHILADELPHIA, May 20.—In the Presbyterian Assembly, this morning, the Moderator read the following congratulatory dispatch addressed to the Assembly by the venerable Dr. ELLIOTT, who was Moderator of the General Assembly of 1866, at which the memorable schism occurred:

ALLEGHANY CITY, Penn., May 20.

To the Moderator of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church:

The Moderator of the last General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church immediately preceding the separation sends greeting to the first reunited Assembly of the same through their Moderator, praying that their proceedings may be distinguished by wisdom that is from above, and cemented by the charity which is the bond of perfectness. DAVID ELLIOTT.

The reading was received with evident satisfaction, and on its conclusion the Stated Clerk was directed, on motion, to send an appropriate response to Dr. ELLIOTT. Judge MELLOY tendered his resignation as one of the temporary clerks because both of the temporary clerks were from the one body in the West. A motion was made that his resignation be not accepted by the Assembly, which was agreed to. Standing committees were appointed and the report of the Committee on Publication was read.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, May 20.—The General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church of North America, yesterday, elected Rev. Dr. MCLEOD, of New-York, Moderator; Rev. Dr. STEELE, of Philadelphia, Secretary, and Rev. Mr. WOODSIDE, of Brooklyn, Assistant Secretary. On taking the chair, Dr. MCLEOD made a short address, alluding to his connection with the Synod as Stated Clerk for thirty-five years. He looked upon this time as a crisis in the history of the Reformed Presbyterian Church, and hoped the Synod would not be governed by partisan spirit in its deliberations. A number of informal reports were made, after which the Moderator announced the standing committees. The reports of the Presbyteries were received, and all those that referred to the subject of a union with the United Presbyterian Church favored it, except the Eastern and the Philadelphia Presbyteries, which were opposed to union. The Ohio and Chicago Presbyteries did not refer to the subject.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 20.—In the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, today, Bishop KAVANAUGH presiding, the Committee on the Formation of a New Conference Committee for the circulation of the Holy Scriptures, submitted an able report, which was adopted. The report of the Committee on Boundaries, submitted yesterday, was adopted. The report of the Committee on the Book Concern, in favor of its continuance at Nashville, provoked a long discussion. Drs. BOND and WILSON, of Baltimore, and MORAN, of North Carolina, favored its removal to Baltimore, and Drs. HOLLIDAY, of Tennessee, and EVANS, of Georgia, opposed the proposition. After the discussion had been continued for some time, Major DAWSON, of Kentucky, offered an amendment substituting Louisville in lieu of Baltimore, with a proviso that Louisville pay the proposed $50,000. Pending which, the Conference adjourned.

The Diocesan Convention in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, May 20.—The Diocesan Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church adjourned *sine die* this afternoon. The most important act of the Convention was their creation of a new diocese, comprising the five counties around Philadelphia, subject to the approval of the General Convention.

FIRES.

Stores in Northampton, Mass., Burned—Loss $60,000—Knitting-Mill Destroyed in Vermont—Loss $25,000—Heavy Loss of Malt Stock in Philadelphia—$40,000 Loss in Cleveland—Other Losses.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 20.—The Edwards Church and the Hunt Building, at Northampton, were totally destroyed by fire last night. The loss is about $60,000, of which $20,000 falls upon the Church; $8,500 upon BENJAMIN NORTH's heirs, owners of the Hunt Building; $15,000 upon E. J. FAIR, whose dry-goods and fancy store was in the building, and $6,000 upon EVERETT & HARMAN, jobbers, in the upper story of the same. There is an insurance of $27,000 in New-York and Hartford companies, of which $8,500 was on the Church and $7,500 on FAIR's goods.

BENNINGTON, Vt., May 20.—GEO. S. BRADFORD's knitting-mill here was burned this afternoon. Loss, $25,000, which is covered by insurance.

PHILADELPHIA, May 20.—A fire in the extensive malt-house of FRANCIS PEROT, on Vine-street, above Third, this morning, destroyed a large stock of malt, valued at $75,000. The damage to the building is not very serious. The insurance is $60,000 on the building and $25,000 on the stock. The insurance is mostly in offices in this city. Elsewhere, it is as follows: Independent, of Boston, $5,000; Charter Oak, of Connecticut, $5,000. The total losses will not exceed $40,000.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 20.—The warehouse of FREEMAN & CRUMB's lubricating oil-works was destroyed by fire last night. The loss is estimated at $40,000. The following is a list of insurances: On the stock, in the Continental, $1,000; in the Norwich and the Home offices of New-Haven, $2,000 in each; the Royal, of England, $1,000. The balance, from $15,000 to $20,000, is in the New-York and Hartford offices, the names of which have not yet been ascertained. On the building, in the Home, of New-York, Ætna, of Hartford, Astor and Firemen's of New-York; $1,500 in each; in the Connecticut, Yonkers, Irving, and Franklin, of Pennsylvania, $1,000 each.

HUDSON, N. Y., May 20.—A fire broke out in the village of Athens, opposite this city, this morning about 1 o'clock, and consumed the hotel of Mr. E. D. WALCOTT and a building adjoining on Franklin-street. The loss is estimated at $12,000, insured for $8,000 in the Hanover, Continental, Lorillard and International Insurance Companies, of New-York, and the Mutual, of Albany.

BANGOR, Me., May 20.—Several buildings in this city, occupied as stores, were burned last night. The loss is several thousand dollars, partially insured.

BOSTON, Mass., May 20.—A fire in Chelsea, last night, destroyed two wooden buildings, occupied by Mr. JAMES L. CAPEN for manufacturing purposes, and Mr. J. W. STICKNEY for oil and varnishes. Loss, $12,000.

The Fire at Wenona, Ill.—Loss $140,000.

CHICAGO, May 20.—Further particulars of the fire which occurred at Wenona, Ill., on the 18th, show that it was more extensive and destructive than at first reported. Almost the entire business portion of the town was burned, including a large block of wooden buildings, occupied by dealers in dry goods, clothing, groceries, drugs, jewelry, &c.; the steam elevator, owned by BUCKINGHAM BROTHERS, of Chicago; the Central Railway Depot, freight-house, telegraph and express offices. Loss $140,000; insurance $50,000, principally in the Ætna and Hartford Companies.

Miscellaneous Telegrams.

DEPOSIT, N. Y., May 20.—PETER SHORT, a brakeman on the Erie Railway, in walking over the cars at this station, fell to the track, and a portion of the train passed over both of his legs, close to the body, severing them entirely. The train was stopped, but when SHORT was found he was dead. He resided at Port Jervis.

GREYCOURT, Orange County, N. Y., May 20.—Last night JAMES CONKLING, of Salt Hollow, an oilman on the Erie Railway, was drowned in Greycourt Creek, near this place. The train stopped on the bridge, and CONKLING stepped on the bridge, missed his footing, and fell in the stream below.

TRENTON, N. J., May 20.—A milk dealer named GEORGE FREEMAN was today convicted of libel in the Mercer County Courts, in having published in a city newspaper and circulated by hand-bills, the statement that a rival dealer named HAMBURY had sold milk from diseased cows. The case of DAVID HOAR, of the True American, vs. CHAS. W. JAY, of the *Union Sentinel*, for libel, is expected to be taken up to-morrow.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 20.—CHARLES O. ANDREWS, a book-keeper in the Chatham Bank, New-York City, and a former resident of this city, has disappeared in a mysterious manner. It is thought he is insane. He is five feet six inches high, and has black hair, black eyes and a prominent Roman nose.

CINCINNATI, May 20.—Extensive preparations are being made for the meeting of the International Typographical Union, to begin on the 6th of June, in this city. Delegates will be present from all parts of the United States and Canada. Two ladies will be present as delegates from New-York.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 20.—The race between *Amber* and *Asteroid*, yesterday, mile heats, was awarded to *Amber*. It is rumored that the rider of *Asteroid* was bribed.

Coming Home—A New Sea Peril.

From the Commercial Advertiser, May 20.

The only drawback to foreign travel hereafter will be the dread of coming home. The new regulations of the Custom-house are so stringent that the returning American will actually look with apprehension upon the shores of his native land. It is a question of clothes—of a "reasonable amount of clothing"—which the traveler may have in his trunks. The individual may not decide this. It is left to the Custom-house officer—a man whose small salary has never allowed him a very liberal expenditure for garments, and who is likely to regard a "reasonable" supply as only another term for a "necessary supply." Dr. HOLMES wrote years ago:

> "Three pairs of boots; one pair of feet demands.
> If polished daily by the owner's hands;
> If the dark menial's visit save from this,
> Have twice that number, for he'll sometimes miss."

Now to many persons three or six pairs of boots or shoes are a mere bagatelle—poverty and destitution. So with coats and other garments. But who shall decide for the ladies, and is there any "reason" in their dress? Shall an inspector decide for Flora McFlimsy, who had "nothing to wear," though a host of dresses hung upon her walls? The whole thing is contemptible and small, and unworthy of a great nation. The people are not all swindlers and smugglers. They are not all knaves and cheats. Yet so the Government in its Custom-house and revenue regulations regards them. As the TIMES well observes: "People have paid heavy taxes for some years without a murmur, but, instead of their liberality being well appreciated, they are now subjected to a few extra turns of the 'screw.' Why make any method of raising money for Government unnecessarily odious? Suppose a man does bring an extra coat or two with him, the Government can much better afford to let him do it than authorize its officials to reckon up garments and appraise their value, like so many second-hand clothes dealers." Returning travelers should at least be allowed to revisit home with some emotions of pleasure.

Minnesota Expedition to the Red River.

From the St. Paul Press, May 17.

We are reliably informed that a large expedition, with an abundant outfit of supplies, is being organized in this State for the colonization of the lower valley of the Red River, and along the line of the Northern Pacific Railroad. We understand that between 800 and 1,000 men are preparing to join this great emigration column. Their exact destination they do not reveal, and probably will not be determined on till they have completed their explorations; but they have nearly finished their preparations for moving, and will probably start in a few days.

FORTY-FIRST CONGRESS.

SECOND SESSION.

SENATE.....WASHINGTON, Saturday, May 20.

Mr. FENTON presented a petition of the stockholders of the several companies formed to establish a communication between the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans, asking Congress to authorize an examination and survey by United States officers of the Nicaragua route; also a petition for the recognition of belligerent rights of Cubans now struggling for freedom.

RHODE ISLAND STATES RIGHTS.

Mr. ANTHONY, in reply to a memorial presented yesterday by Mr. POMEROY, complaining of discrimination in the laws of Rhode Island against naturalized citizens, said there was nothing in the Constitution of the State contravening the Constitution of the United States or the laws made in pursuance thereof. When the bill on the subject of which the Senator had given notice, was introduced there would be no difficulty in maintaining the law-abiding character of that State and the rights of the people of Rhode Island to regulate their own affairs.

A TEXAS-PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Mr. HOWARD moved to make the Texas-Pacific Railroad bill a special order.

Mr. SHERMAN objected to all special orders until the bill to reduce taxation was disposed of.

Mr. HOWARD finally withdrew his motion, and both bills were placed on the calendar.

THE FINAL ADJOURNMENT.

The House resolution for final adjournment on July 4, was taken up. A motion to pass it over was lost—yeas 20, nays 32. Motions to fix the day for Friday, July 15, Monday, July 18, and Friday, July 22, were severally voted down by yeas and nays.

Mr. CORBETT moved to fix July 1 as the day.

Mr. DRAKE called the yeas and nays, and said he would insist upon the roll being called on each motion, so that the country might see that the efforts of Republican Senators to do the public business were being defeated by a combination of Democrats with a Republican minority.

Mr. CAMERON said he would not be dragooned into a particular line of conduct by the fear of voting with Democrats. The sentiment of the Senate was two to one in favor of fixing the day for July 4 and it was time for the minority to yield.

Mr. DRAKE thought the Senator's computation as to the sentiment of the Senate showed that his education in arithmetic was very defective. The votes taken did not show a majority of more than five votes.

A general discussion ensued upon the dilatory style of argument resorted to in the Senate upon certain questions, Mr. TIPTON characterizing it as infamously odious, and a game which the editor of the *Chronicle* had been practicing for months past, especially upon the Georgia bill. That paper had charged Republican Senators with affiliation with Democrats, in order to drive them into opposition to Mr. BINGHAM's amendment, and dared them to vote for it in the face of their constituents.

At this point the morning hour expired, and the Fifteenth Amendment bill coming up, Mr. HOWARD was awarded the floor, but had yielded it to Mr. CAMERON, on whose motion the pending business was laid aside by yeas 31, nays 21, and the adjournment resolution further debated. Finally, Mr. CORBETT's motion was lost, when the resolution was agreed to as amended, so fixing the time of adjournment for Friday, July 15, by yeas 33, nays 21.

THE FIFTEENTH AMENDMENT BILL.

The consideration of the Fifteenth Amendment bill was then resumed, when Mr. STEWART gave notice in reference to sundry objections. He would agree to striking out the fifth section, allowing a candidate deprived of office by a violation of the rights of colored voters, to recover possession by writ of mandamus, and giving the United States Courts jurisdiction in such cases.

Mr. HOWARD suggested the necessity of an amendment to the twelfth section to define the duty of military authorities when called upon to execute the law. This was debated at length during the remainder of the afternoon without the slightest action, and at 5 o'clock, after a short Executive Session, the Senate took a recess till 7½ o'clock this evening.

EVENING SESSION.

THE AMENDMENT BILL—CONTINUED.

At 7½ o'clock the Senate resumed consideration of the bill to enforce the Fifteenth Amendment, and Mr. WARNER's amendment to require the payment of a forfeit of $500 for violations of the law to any person suing for the same, instead of to the party aggrieved, was rejected without a division.

Mr. SAWYER, in reply to a question put to him during the debate by Mr. HOWARD, whether in advocating a general amnesty he had forgot the wars referred to in his own proscription as a citizen of South Carolina during the war on account of his Union sentiments.

Mr. A. G. THURMAN made an argument against the right of Congress to enter the States and deal with the qualifications of the electors, or to override the State Courts by giving to the United States Courts jurisdiction over election offenses. He submitted an amendment of three sections, which had been prepared by a committee of the House, the object of which, he said, was to preserve purity of elections and prevent the repetition of glaring frauds committed in New-York City at the last Presidential election.

The amendment provides that any person, at election for members of Congress or Electors for President or Vice-President, who shall vote and not be entitled to vote, or who shall by any means induce or compel an election officer to receive unlawful votes, and any election officer refusing or omitting to do any duty imposed by this act, shall be indictable, and on conviction suffer a fine, not exceeding $500, or imprisonment not exceeding three years, or both, and pay costs. It also provides the same penalties for unlawfully registering or causing the registering of any person not entitled. Also, the same penalties for an unlawful interference with political meetings called to discuss national affairs or claims of candidates for Federal offices.

Mr. CASSERLY said that every Congressional District in New-York City was overwhelmingly anti-Radical, and any attempt by Congress to destroy or whittle down Democratic majorities would more clearly demonstrate the fact.

Mr. SHERMAN said that an official investigation in the House of Representatives had established that at the last Presidential election thousands and tens of thousands of illegal votes were polled. If the result of that election had depended upon the vote of New-York State, we would have had a war and a revolution growing out of the state of things there only the other day. According to the public journals, wholesale frauds had been committed there. He claimed that the strength of the Republican Party was, in the main, within the agricultural districts, among the farmers and laboring masses of the interior, while the election frauds had become a constituent element of the Democratic majorities in large cities. Every Congressional District in New-York City was Democratic for this reason, and now that the evil had become one of national concern, it was the duty of Congress to protect itself from such wrongs. He then asked for the reading of an extract from the New-York *Sun*, whose Democratic tendencies, and hostility to Gen. GRANT, he thought were well known. The extract was read, being a commentary on the fraudulent character of the recent election.

Mr. TRUMBULL remarked that that portion of the amendment pertaining to the Presidential elections was manifestly unconstitutional, as it would overturn the plain constitutional direction for their appointment in the manner provided by each State.

Mr. SHERMAN modified his amendment to obviate the constitutional objection of Mr. TRUMBULL, limiting it to the election of Congressmen.

After further discussion, at 11¾ a motion to adjourn was negatived, and a vote being about to be taken on Mr. SHERMAN's amendment, Mr. THURMAN said the Senate was asked at midnight to adopt a scheme which would reverse the whole practice of the Government for eighty years—since its foundation. Such a proposition had never before been suggested or dreamed of by any American politician or statesman. Its adoption would be a triumph of the brute force of the members over the reasoning powers of the Senate. In the name of justice, and for the sake of the Forty-first Congress, he asked for an adjournment until Monday, agreeing to have a vote taken upon the bill then.

Mr. SUMNER asserted his belief that the amendment was pertinent to the bill and hoped it would be adopted.

Mr. SHERMAN's amendment was then rejected—14 to 26.

Mr. HAMLIN renewed his amendment except the prohibition against the disturbance of political meetings.

Shortly after 12 o'clock Mr. THURMAN took the floor in opposition to the amendment, and remarked that he proposed to speak until sunrise.

At 1 o'clock Mr. THURMAN concluded by moving to adjourn. Lost.

Mr. CASSERLY then took the floor.

Three o'clock A. M.—It is now the apparent intention of the minority to talk until morning to prevent a vote, and of the majority to sit it out. Mr. CASSERLY is still speaking.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

NAVAL RELIEF BILLS.

Mr. STEVENS, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, reported a bill for the relief of the officers and crew of the ship *Nightingale*. Passed.

Mr. ARCHER, from the same Committee, reported a bill for the relief of Chief-Engineers GEORGE SEWELL and WILLIAM H. SHOCK, of the Navy. Passed.

Mr. HALE, from the same Committee, reported a bill to compensate the officers and crew of the *Kearsarge* for the destruction of the *Alabama*; authorizing $190,000 to be paid from the Japanese Indemnity Fund, except such sum as had been already received for bounty. Passed.

THE WYOMING FIGHT IN 1863.

Mr. ARCHER, from the same Committee, reported a bill for the relief of the officers and crew of the United States ship *Wyoming*, authorizing $100,000 to be paid out of the Japanese Indemnity Fund, to the officers and crew of that vessel who participated in the action at Simonoseki, Japan, in July, 1863. The report and the discussion showed that the action which the appropriation is recommended was the attack made upon, and destruction of three Japanese vessels of war and shore batteries, for having fired upon an American vessel—the Pembroke. After discussion, on motion of Mr. MAYNARD, the bill was laid on the table—71 to 62.

REWARD FOR AN INVENTOR.

Mr. HAYS, from the same Committee, reported the bill to pay A. Q. ROSS $5,000 for the past and future use of his invention for the use of hot water and steam in the United States Navy as a weapon of offense and defense.

The morning hour expired, and the bill went over until Friday next.

THE LOUISIANA CONTESTED ELECTION CASE.

The House at 1½ took up the Louisiana contested election case of NEWSHAM against RYAN, the resolution of the majority being that MICHAEL RYAN is not entitled to the seat, and that J. P. NEWSHAM is. After speeches by Mr. BURDETT for, and by Mr. VOORHEES against the report, the matter went over until to-morrow.

THE SENATE ADJOURNMENT AGREED TO.

A message from the Senate having been received announcing concurrence in the House resolution for the final adjournment on Monday, the 4th of July, with an amendment fixing the adjournment for Friday, July 15. The House, on motion of Mr. DAWES, agreed to the amendment, and a motion to reconsider was laid on the table, thus making the matter definite and final.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA BUSINESS.

Under the new rule the afternoon session was devoted exclusively to the business of the District of Columbia. A large number of incorporating and other bills having been passed. The only measure that gave rise to discussion was a bill for the paving of Pennsylvania-avenue, which was opposed by Mr. KNOTT in a speech so interspersed with witty illustrations and droll conceits that it attracted all the members present in a circle around him, and provoked continuous laughter and applause. At the close of Mr. KNOTT's speech the bill went over.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON THE ARMY BILL.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. LOGAN, SLOCUM and BECKLEY as the Conference Committee on the Army bill.

The House then, at 5¼ o'clock, adjourned.

HAYTI.

The Fifteenth Amendment in Port-au-Prince—The Gonaives Conspiracy—The Resumption of Specie Payments—Claims Against the Salnave Government.

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Thursday, May 12, 1870.

United States Minister BASSETT has waited upon SAGET to inform him officially of the ratification of the Fifteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States. The President replied with remarks eulogistic to the President and Congress of the United States, and said that the people of Hayti would feel much closer allied to the United States on account of the amendment.

The conspirators who were captured at Gonaives have been tried by Court-martial; the decision of the Court has not yet been made known, but it is expected that some of them will be shot. All is quiet there now, and the course of the Government is giving universal satisfaction.

An attempt to return to a specie basis is about being made, and a liberal loan is already offered by European capitalists to assist the Government in this endeavor.

The President has visited the Western and Artebonite Districts, and was received with great enthusiasm.

M. S. FAUBERT, formerly Minister to Spain, has been appointed Minister of Finance. The selection is considered a good one.

The Commission to investigate the claims against the Salnave Government has concluded its labors, and reports debts to the amount of $1,000,000 gold, and $60,000,000 paper, of which the present Government assumes the responsibility. Exchange, 280.

THE CANADIAN FISHERIES.

Secretary Boutwell's Circular to the Collector of Customs.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, May 16, 1870.

SIR: In compliance with the request of the Secretary of State, you are hereby authorized and directed to inform all masters of fishing vessels at the time of clearance from your port, that the authorities of the Dominion of Canada have terminated the system of granting fishing licenses to foreign vessels, under which they have heretofore been permitted to fish within the maritime jurisdiction of said Dominion, that is to say, within three marine miles of the shores thereof, and that all fishermen of the United States are prohibited from the use of such inshore fisheries, except so far as stipulated in the first article of the treaty of October 20, 1818, between the United States and Great Britain, in virtue of which the fishermen of the United States have, in common with the subjects of her Britannic Majesty, the liberty to take of every kind on that part of the southern coast of Newfoundland, which extends from Cape Ray to the Rameau Islands, on the western and northern coast of Newfoundland, from the said Cape Ray to the Quirpon Islands on the shores of the Magdalen Islands, and also on the coasts, bays, harbors and creeks from Mount Joly, which was when the treaty was signed on the southern coast of Labrador, to and through the Straits of Belleisle, and thence northwardly, indefinitely along the coast, without prejudice, however, to any exclusive rights of the Hudson Bay Company, and have also liberty forever to dry and cure fish in any of the unsettled bays, harbors and creeks of the southern part of the coast of Newfoundland above described, and of the coast of Labrador, unless the same or any portion thereof be settled, in which case it is not lawful for the said fishermen to dry or cure fish at such portions settled without previous agreement for such purpose with the inhabitants, proprietors or possessors of the ground, and also are admitted to enter any other bays or harbors for the purpose of shelter and of repairing damages therein, of purchasing wood and of obtaining water, and for no other purpose whatever, subject to such restrictions as may be necessary to prevent their taking, drying and curing fish there, or in any other manner whatever abusing the privileges reserved to them as above expressed. The Canadian law of the 22d of May, 1868, 31 Victoria, chapter 61, entitled, An act respecting fishing by foreign vessels, among other things, enacts that any commissioned officer of Her Majesty's Navy serving on board of any vessel of Her Majesty's subjects engaged in the fisheries, or any commissioned officer of Her Majesty's Navy, fishery officer, or stipendiary Magistrate on board of any vessel belonging to or in the service of the Government of Canada, and employed in the service of protecting the fisheries, or any officer of the Customs of Canada, Sheriff, Magistrate or other person duly commissioned for that purpose, may go on board of any ship, vessel or boat within any harbor in Canada, or hovering in British waters within three miles of any of the coasts, bays, creeks or harbors in Canada, and stay on board so long as she may remain within such place or distance. It also provides that if such ship, vessel or boat be found elsewhere, and shall continue within such harbor or so hovering for twenty-four hours after the master shall have been required to depart, any one of such officers or persons as are above-mentioned may bring such ship, vessel or boat into port and search her cargo, and may also examine the master upon oath touching the cargo and voyage, and if the master or person in command shall not truly answer the questions put to him on such examination he shall forfeit $400, and if such ship, vessel or boat be foreign or not navigated according to the laws of the United Kingdom or of Canada, and have been found fishing or preparing to fish or to have been fishing in British waters within three marine miles of any of the coasts, bays, creeks or harbors of Canada, not included in the above-mentioned limits, without a license, or after the expiration of the period named in the last license granted to such ship, vessel or boat under the first section of this act, such ship, vessel or boat, and the tackle, rigging apparel, furniture, stores and cargo thereof shall be forfeited, and that all good ships, vessels and boats, and the tackle, rigging, apparel, furniture, stores and cargo liable to forfeiture under this act, may be seized and secured by any officers or persons mentioned in the second section of this act, and every person opposing any officer or person in the execution of his duty under this act, or aiding or abetting any other person in any opposition, shall forfeit $800, and shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction be liable to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years. On the 8th of January, 1870, the Governor-General of the Dominion of Canada, in council, ordered that suitable sailing vessels, similar to La Canadienne, be employed, armed and equipped for the service of protecting the Canadian in-shore fisheries against illegal encroachments by foreigners. These vessels to be connected with the Police force of Canada and form a marine branch of the same. It is understood that by a change of the boundaries between Canada and Labrador the Canadian territory now includes Mount Joly and a portion of the shore to the east thereof, which in the treaty of 1818 was described as the southern coast of Labrador. This municipal change of boundary does not, however, interfere with the right of American fishermen as defined by the treaty on that portion of what was the southern coast of Labrador, east of Mount Joly. Very respectfully,

GEO. S. BOUTWELL, Secretary.

Postmaster Grant.

In his speech at the celebration of the ratification of the Fifteenth Amendment in Baltimore, on Thursday, Postmaster-General CRESWELL said:

"It was not permitted that LINCOLN should survive to see this glorious consummation; but the great Captain in whom he trusted implicitly, and to whom, in his last speech, he attributed all the honor of leadership in the stupendous military operations which closed the war, now, by authority of the people occupies the Presidential Chair. In his inaugural address he expressed a desire for the ratification of the Fifteenth Amendment; and he has ever since shown his sincerity by his unceasing labors to accomplish that result. His anxiety may be gathered from the language of his recent proclamation, where he declares the ratification to be 'the most important event that has occurred since the nation came into life.' To him more than to any other living man is its final success attributable. The leading part which he has taken in dedicating the colored race to freedom and to the service of our common country, has crowned his career with the most admirable triumph of his life, and has fully established the truth of that saying, once applied to CROMWELL, but which CROMWELL lived to verify only in part:

> 'Peace hath her victories,
> No less renown'd than war.'"

Sudden Death of Hon. Charles B. Rich.

From the Buffalo Commercial Advertiser, May 18.

We are in receipt of information to the effect that about 9 o'clock on Monday night last, Hon. CHARLES B. RICH, of Akron, Erie County, was found lying dead on the highway, about a mile from his residence. It is thought that he fell from his sulky in an epileptic fit.

The deceased was one of the oldest residents of Western New-York, being born in Sharon, Schoharie County, June 26, 1800. He removed to Akron in about 1825, where he had resided ever since. He was at one time Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue in this district, and from 1863 to 1866 was United States Indian Agent. In 1860 he was a member of the State Legislature. Mr. RICH was highly esteemed by all who knew him.

The Trial of Shultz for Cutting His Wife's Throat—The Verdict.

The trial of CHARLES SHULTZ for attempting to murder his wife by cutting her throat with a razor was concluded yesterday in the Hudson County Court of Quarter Sessions. At the opening of the Court some unimportant testimony was given, after which Mr. ROWE, counsel for the prisoner, proceeded to sum up. After explaining and commenting on the law bearing upon insanity, he forcibly applied it to his client's advantage by picturing him as a martyred husband and an abused father, whose wife and family, instead of nurturing and fostering him in his hoary age, now sought to consign him to a felon's doom. The counsel held that the systematic persecutions practiced on him by his wife and children were sufficient to madden a man with a more vigorous reason, and that it was in one of those frenzied moments, while smarting under the recollections of his bitter treatment, that he perpetrated the offense with which he stood charged.

Mr. STOUT followed on behalf of the State. He thought the insanity plea was almost "played out." The act of the prisoner was premeditated in the morning while shaving, and during the day he nerved himself with liquor. If he was crazy at all it was from drink.

Judge RANDOLPH, in charging the Jury, observed that the evidence for the defense "disclosed to the horror of the Court a state of feeling toward a father certainly crushing to the heart." "If the prisoner was not conscious of the nature of the act or of its being wrong, he is not responsible." The Judge commented severely upon the evidence of the witnesses for the prosecution, who, he said, had shown a lack of "filial and wifely affection" for the man who had attempted to murder the wife and mother. The Jury found a verdict of simple assault.

Criminal Sessions and Discharges Before Recorder Hackett.

The proceedings in the Court of General Sessions, yesterday, before Recorder HACKETT, included the case of GEORGE ELLIS, a noted burglar and successful jail-breaker, who pleaded guilty to having broken into the diamond and jewelry store of SOLOMON MICHL with intent to steal. It was announced that a requisition had been received by Gov. HOFFMAN from Gov. GEARY, of Pennsylvania, asking for the return of the accused to that State to answer several charges of burglary, which were pending against him there. His counsel, Mr. C. A. SEWARD, made a motion that the prisoner be returned to Pennsylvania, but the Court decided adversely and sent him to State Prison for five years. CHAS. WRIGHT, a confederate of BURNS and ELLIS in the emigrant swindling business, was discharged on motion of the Assistant District-Attorney, he having been used as a witness against BURNS.

In the case of RODNEY M. POMEROY, whose alleged extensive swindling operations are well known among the leather merchants in the Swamp, the Assistant District-Attorney announced that he would be unable to introduce any evidence to show that the accused was not a member of the supposed mythical firm of CLARK & Co., of Cincinnati, whose name he used in his dealings with his reputed victims. The prisoner was accordingly discharged. He has been tried and acquitted on two occasions in consequence of the failure of the prosecution to establish the falsity of his pretenses.

JOHN BRYAN, charged with robbing JOHN DUNNOW, of No. 11 Hamilton-street, of a silver watch, pleaded guilty of petty larceny, and was sent to State Prison for two years. The stealing of a large quantity of silks and other goods from No. 65 Leonard-street, was proved against GEO. ALLEN, who was sent to State Prison for five years.

The Court subsequently adjourned until Monday.

A Forged Check—The Atlantic National Bank Victimized.

A man known as yet only by the name of FASSIT, and who seems to have been a bungling sort of operator, yesterday managed to obtain the cashing of one of three forged checks, all of which were for small amounts, whereby he secured $810. It is alleged that he employed a boy, named THOMAS BROWN, as a messenger, through whom the checks were sent to the Union-square National Bank where they were deposited to the credit of FASSIT, and one was afterward cashed at the Atlantic National Bank. The cashing of this check was an incident that might happen any day in any bank, but the subsequent proceedings of the forger were so mal-adroit that but for the premature publication that was made in certain evening papers of the fact of the forgery, disported though it was, he would have been captured. As it is, he has effected his escape, for the time, at least, and the Atlantic National Bank is a loser to the extent of $800, it having had the good luck to recover $10 of the amount paid on the forged check.

Application for a Warrant for the Arrest of an Ex-Police Justice.

At the Essex Market Police Court yesterday, before Justice LEDWITH, a respectable-attired woman, apparently about thirty-five years of age, but whose name could not be ascertained from any of the officers of the Court, made application for a warrant for the arrest of Ex-Police Judge MANSFIELD, for neglecting to support a child of which he is the father. She stated that he had frequently rendered her assistance, but latterly he altogether refused to do so, and having no other means of sustenance she had to resort to legal proceedings. Judge LEDWITH recommended the woman to make her statement to the Commissioners of Charities and Correction, and upon receipt of advice from them he would grant the application.

Personal.

Lord John Moody, of England, and Gen. W. H. Terrell, of Washington, are at the Everett House. A. Flores, Minister from Ecuador to the United States, is at the Westminster Hotel. Gen. James A. Cunningham, of Boston; Hon. J. N. McCullough, of Pittsburg; Hon. C. C. Gilman, of Iowa; Hon. F. A. Winston, of Pennsylvania, and E. B. Ward, of Detroit, are at the St. Nicholas Hotel. Hon. George F. Comstock, of Syracuse; Col. George W. Schofield, of the United States Army, and N. Crosby, of Lowell, are at the Fifth-avenue Hotel. Hon. Thomas H. Snowden, of Florida; E. P. Brooks, of Elmira, and J. S. Markland, of Providence, are at the Metropolitan Hotel.

CUBAN AFFAIRS.

The Castanon Murder—An Abrupt Conclusion to the Trial—Important Engagements—Capture of Cuban Artillery—Additional Executions.

From Our Own Correspondent.

HAVANA, Saturday, May 14, 1870.

The city has been kept alive with several sensational items, of which the first was extremely disgusting to the Spaniards, and the last equally agreeable. Key West furnished the first sensation, and if the account published in the *Diario* is correct in every particular, and there is no reason to doubt its accuracy, we must come to the conclusion that to a certain extent the Spaniards have a right to grumble. The examination of the Castanon murder case was fixed by the Grand Jury at Key West for the 10th inst., and a telegram was sent to Havana a few days previous announcing this fact, in order to advise the principal witnesses, who reside here, to present themselves in Key West. These witnesses feared meeting with violence at the hands of the Cubans residing in Key West, and the acting Captain-General sent a telegram to Washington asking the Government to afford protection to the witnesses. This action of the authorities appears over-cautious, and perhaps foolish to persons in the United States, who undoubtedly would inquire what business the Government at Washington had to meddle in the affair; but such is not the true view to be taken of the case, the Spaniards being accustomed to have their superior Government do and order everything for them. In Cuba the Captain-General is autocratic, and can at any time annul the action of the Courts in criminal cases, and even many civil cases have to be submitted to him, while he can at any time take a case, even then undergoing investigation, away from the Judicial Courts and try it himself. Recurring to the subject proper, the Castanon trial, as no answer had been received from Washington, and as the Key West Grand Jury made no inquiries and refused to wait, they simply discharged the prisoners connected with the Castanon murder for want of proof. Leaving all political feelings or sympathies aside, it appears very strange that no testimony was forthcoming to implicate the prisoners, and we must come to the conclusion that the real culprits were those who escaped, (?) and that the rest were mere lookers on. At any rate, the Key West Grand Jury might have deferred action until they had been informed whether the Havana witnesses were coming or not. Assassination is always a crime, and never a political offence.

IMPORTANT ENGAGEMENT.

Since the capture of Fort Asiento by Gen. GOYENECHE, no engagement of any magnitude has taken place, except that which has just been effected by Major MONTANA, who left Santa Cruz for Tana, killing sixty-five insurgents in various encounters on the way, his principal assistance being the Cuban volunteers, (not Spaniards,) who acted as guides and advanced posts. At Tana several salt works were destroyed, the Spaniards losing one killed and another wounded, proceeding from there to Najare. On the 3d an engagement took place, when JUAN SUAREZ, second in command of the Cuban troops, and five more, were killed. On the 5th MONTANA reached La Bermeja, a very strong natural position, where he expected to meet with insurgent forces. He was not disappointed as a musketry fire was soon heard toward the front, and of a sudden a shot from a cannon, which he did not expect. MONTANA made a short speech to his men, told them that they must not permit that cannon to be fired again, and that it must be captured at all hazards. The soldiers then advanced at a double quick, MONTANA leaving his baggage behind guarded by fifty men, when the insurgents withdrew their piece from the front of the entrenchment, and opening into platoons formed on both sides of the road. The Spaniards continued to advance, the Cubans retreating in order, trying to reach some heights where they expected to make a stand. The troops could only move slowly, as the firing, although desultory, was incessant, and if the Cubans were only decent marksmen the Spaniards would have lost heavily; but all the shots went over their heads. The movement continued until 2 in the afternoon, when the Cubans reached the mountain, the Spaniards moving forward in a solid mass without firing a shot, following the footprints and ruts left by the wheels of the cannon, the Spaniards being without artillery. At times it was difficult to discover the track, but the Cuban guides soon found it again, MONTANA himself being well acquainted with the territory. The soldiers were suffering terribly from thirst, and looked as if they could not march any further, when at 4½ a shout and some shots were heard on the right. Assistance was sent, and Capt. TIRON, who commanded on the right, was found in possession, not of one, but of two cannon, with all the train belonging to it, five Cuban artillerists lying dead on the ground. One of the guns was that which the Cuban General ANGEL DEL CASTILLO captured on the 7th of August last from the Spanish Colonel PORTAL at Moron, when PORTAL was killed and over three-fourths of his command killed or captured. CASTILLO, who was killed at Lazaro Lopez, was one of the ablest and most promising officers of the Cuban forces. The other gun was a United States mountain howitzer, with the letters U. S. and T. J. on it, and was called the Tomas Jordan. The first soldier who laid his hand on the captured pieces was a Cuban named FRANCISCO AGRAMONTE, belonging to the Santa Cruz volunteers. On the morning of the 6th they moved forward, capturing and destroying a factory where swords and ammunition had been made. They then intended to cross the Najare River. The Cubans were on the other side, undoubtedly intending to defend the pass, when MONTANA ordered the captured artillery to the front, and soon drove them away with a few discharges, after which the troops crossed without being molested, the Contra guerrillas always in the front. But half a league from the river, and in the woods, the Cubans made a desperate attack to recapture the cannon. A hand-to-hand combat ensued, the Cuban machete clashing against the Spanish bayonet. The Cubans were reported losing sixteen killed and many wounded, and the Spaniards five killed. The troops rested there until the morning of the 7th, when the Cubans appeared again, firing at a long distance and without effect, in the vicinity of Callejon de Pacheco. The counter guerrillas flanked a small party and killed six Cubans. On the afternoon of the same day the troops caught a bearer of dispatches from Col. O'RYAN, who expressed his regret and inability to take part in the action, as his cavalry had no horses. This cavalry is undoubtedly that which lost its horses (eighty) a few days ago, the Spanish Col. AGUILAR having captured them. The Spanish account only gives two wounded, which is evidently false, as MONTANER himself acknowledges one soldier killed in the first encounter. MONTANER gives the Cuban loss at ninety-one killed, and supposes that many more died of wounds received. The captured artillery arrived this morning by the steamer *Pajaro*, and will be carried in triumph through the streets of Havana to-morrow morning.

MORE EXECUTIONS.

The *Pajaro* also brought the two brothers, GASPAR and DIEGO AGUERO, the companions of GOICOURIA, who were captured on Romano Key, to which they had crossed from Guajaba Key. The English or American Major who accompanied them died from starvation, the three pilots escaping. Some very queer reports are in circulation regarding the capture and denouncement of GOICOURIA, and even strong Cuban sympathisers express some exceedingly peculiar ideas. Until I have some proof that they are true, however, I shall not communicate them. The foreigner who died was not O'RYAN. The AGUEROS were taken to jail, and thence to Fort Principe. The Court-martial is now in session, and as its sentence cannot be doubtful, the rabble of Havana will be afforded the spectacle of another execution at 3 this afternoon. The only man who treated the prisoners badly was Col. RAMON HERRERA, who marched them on foot from the jail to Fort Principe, in order to show off. The prisoners were worn out with fatigue, and compelled to rest twice on the road. The authorities, though, had given the Colonel strict orders to take them in a carriage, and to avoid display.

QUASIMODO.

CURRENT NOTES.

Philadelphia has contributed over $13,000 to the Richmond relief fund.

Minnesota has a town named Minneiska.

A negro has been sentenced to death in Amherst County, Va., for setting fire to the County Jail.

The Chicago *Post* thinks Ex-Gov. WISE, of Virginia, has unlearned more in the past ten years than any other man in America.

Col. JOHN F. ASPER's aspirations for a seat in Congress from Missouri are apparently again to be gratified.

The St. Paul (Minn.) *Press* gives expression to a harrowing suspicion that the "armed Fenians" who left Duluth so mysteriously, for Rainy Lake, were British soldiers in disguise.

"Uncle" BENJAMIN FLEMING, of Erie, Penn., was not the last survivor of the battle on Lake Erie. There are at least four other persons living who were among "Perry's men."

The ship-masters and ship-owners in Bath, Me., have held a meeting and adopted resolutions approving Mr. O'NEILL's bill to regulate the shipping and paying off of seamen.

Hon. JOHN P. HALE is to sail from Liverpool on the 1st of June, and is expected to reach Dover, N. H., about the 15th. His old friends are preparing to give him a public reception.

The people of Vermont are expecting their Constitutional Convention to hold a short session, as there is but little difference of opinion upon the questions to come before it.

A young man in Knoxville, Tenn., had his jawbone broken on Tuesday, by the explosion of a barrel of ale which he was attempting to tap. The head of the barrel flew out, and hit him in the face with terrible force.

The Oneida *Dispatch* is inclined to the opinion that the Democratic Party appeared in its suit of tweed for the last time on Tuesday, and it doubts not that the Fall fashions will ignore tweed altogether.

Gov. PILE, of New-Mexico, declares that he is not responsible for the destruction of the territorial archives, and he tells those who are seeking his removal that he is not a Pile who is to be driven from his position.

Those Maine lumbermen who, a few weeks ago, were complaining so loudly over the disastrous Spring freshet, are now whining over the protracted drouth. There never was a season yet that suited them.

Minister MOTLEY's dispatch that the Earl of CLARENDON and he had signed the naturalization treaty, at 6½ P. M. on the 13th inst., was read by Secretary FISH at 1 P. M. on the same day.

The Louisville doctors protest against the demand made on them by the city for $10 for a license, and say they will not render gratuitous services in the public institutions, as heretofore, if the demand is persisted in.

A woman in Iowa City, Iowa, whose husband has been in the insane asylum for two years, recently applied for divorce on the ground of desertion. The suit was dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

Acting Governor POUND, of Wisconsin, has pardoned the murderer of a woman, who was under life sentence, in acknowledgment of his heroism at the recent fire in the State Prison. Through his exertions several lives were saved.

Capt. JOHN COWDEN, who, the Memphis *Appeal* says, devotes himself to the task of dragging up wrecked vessels from fathomless abysses along the Mississippi, is going on a search for the body of FERDINAND DE SOTO, and knows just where it lies. (Echo must not repeat the story.)

A Maine newspaper friendly to the renomination of Gov. JOSHUA L. CHAMBERLAIN, tells the politicians that it was JOSHUA who, after the death of MOSES, led the children of Israel out of the wilderness and broke up the Canaanite ring.

The new Constitution of Illinois provides that "every person" who obtained a certificate of naturalization before Jan. 1, 1870, shall be entitled to vote, and as the Naturalization laws admit of the naturalization of women, there are those who contend that such women can vote under this clause.

The Yale Navy thinks of changing its name to the Yale University Boat Club. The shell races are to take place on Lake Saltonstall on Tuesday of Presentation week, June 28. The prizes for the six-oar shells will be $75 and $25; for double sculls, $25; for single sculls, the Southworth cup.

Mr. and Mrs. FOSTER CLARK, of Skaneateles, celebrated their golden wedding on the evening of the 5th inst., at the house of their son, who, with his wife, at the same time celebrated his silver wedding. Both families were present entire, the family circle not having been broken by death in fifty years.

The Delhi (Delaware County) *Express* expresses much pleasure at the appointment of Hon. LEWIS KINGSLEY, of Norwich, Chenango County, to be Deputy Naval Officer at this port, and says that the appointment will gratify in no small measure the people of all that section of the State.

The Rochester *Express* says Gov. SANFORD E. CHURCH has Presidential aspirations, and it thinks that if the Democratic wire-pullers imagine they have safely rid themselves of him for a series of years they will soon find themselves woefully mistaken. His "popularity" is to be used against them next time.

Some of the Republicans of Sumter County, S. C., have published a card saying that town meetings in various localities have pledged their support to Mr. WHITTEMORE for re-election to Congress, and that they, therefore, see no reason why a convention should be called to nominate a candidate, their choice being fixed and announced.

The Cincinnati *Enquirer* is laboring under the delusion that the majority for Judge GROVER, at the election in this State on Tuesday, was largely increased by the popular belief that he favors repudiation of the war debt. After making the statement, it sagely remarks: "A word to the wise is sufficient." But, apparently, the *Enquirer* is not published for that class of people.

A San Francisco merchant who had an unsalable article consigned to him from the East, got his personal friends together, assigned each a street, and instructed them to call at every store and inquire for this particular article. Then he advertised the goods and the retail dealers, surprised at the unusual call which had been made for them, took them all off his hands at a high price.

The Boston *Traveller* says that a member of a Massachusetts House Committee was offered $20,000 to sign a certain report, and subsequently made a full explanation to his colleagues thus: "I went home the other night, and after HARRIET and I had retired, says I, 'HARRIET, which had you rather have me to do, bring home to you $20,000 for pin money, or an honest husband?' Says she, 'THOMAS, an honest husband.'"

Allegheny, Penn., has been considerably agitated the most of the week over the trial of Rev. J. B. CLARK, D. D., for breach of promise of marriage, which ended in his being rebuked by the Presbytery. In his last letter (he wrote but ninety-nine) to the lady first interested in his suit for her hand, and subsequently in the suit against him for breaking the engagement, he ungallantly said: "Woman is called man's helpmeet, but how often is she little more than help eat?" A "help eat!" Was ever such slander on woman uttered by reverend doctor before?

Fire Department Inspection—The Proposed Appointments.

All of the Fire Commissioners, accompanied by Chief Engineer PERLEY, were engaged during the whole of yesterday in visiting the various engine-houses, making a personal inspection of the apparatus and force. As yet the Commissioners have made no changes in the officers of the Department, but it is understood that they will speedily act in the matter. Among the first appointments will be that of a Chief Engineer, and it is stated upon good authority that the position will be given to a person recommended by Mr. TWEED or HENRY LOVE, who was foreman of "Big Six" in the palmy days of the old Department. The present incumbent has never belonged to the new Department, and consequently having had no experience whatever in managing steam fire apparatus, it is presumed that the appointment is made solely from political considerations. The Ex-Chief, KINGSLAND, who is a Democrat, and thoroughly competent for the place, has been crowded out of the race for some reason known only to the politicians. The new programme seems to have been arranged by Mr. TWEED, who is not publicly known as a Fire Commissioner, but that fact does not appear to make the arrangements which are said to have been made less likely to be carried out.

THE TURF.

The Fashion Course Spring Meeting—Third Day's Trotting—Lady Augusta Wins the 2:34 Purse—Postponement of the Second Race.

Yesterday was the third day of the Spring Trotting meeting on the Fashion Course, and the attendance was larger than on the previous days. This is to be attributed to the attention which the Press reports of the excellent trotting enjoyed on the first and second days have called to the meeting in progress. Notwithstanding the heavy rain which fell the preceding night, the track was in fair order, having dried up rapidly under the warm rays of the sun which broke out at mid-day, and although soft and holding in some spots, on the whole the going was tolerable. There were two races announced, but owing to the state of the course, the proprietor judged it expedient to postpone the most important trot, that for the $2,000 purse, for horses that never beat 2:24. The one which was trotted was for the $1,000 purse for 2:34 horses, the entries for which were as follows: J. DOTY's b. m. *Lady Augusta*, J. LOWERY's b. m. *Lady Franklin*, D. MACE's b. m. *Tempest*, J. MURPHY's b. m. *Lady Murphy*, M. RODEN's br. g. *Penobscot Chief*, and W. H. SAUNDERS' b. m. *Experiment*. The last-named was withdrawn, leaving the above five horses to contend for the purse, of which the winner took $600, the second horse $300, and the third $100. As will be seen from the subjoined report, *Lady Augusta*, after trotting and winning two heats, was protested against by Mr. HUMPHREYS, the owner of *Tempest*, on the ground that she had trotted a heat at Eatontown last year in 2:33½, and that she was consequently ineligible to trot in a race which was for horses that never beat 2:34. This was positively denied, both by the gentleman owning *Lady Augusta* and her trainer and driver, J. DOTY, but the objection being sustained by the evidence of other parties, the judges allowed the mare to start, leaving the onus probandi on the party making the protest, in accordance with the new rules on this point. *Lady Augusta* won the third heat and the race, but the purse, as well as all pools and bets, remain in abeyance. One of the judges, in his ignorance, ordered all bets and pools to be paid, but his more experienced and impartial colleagues directed the pool-seller to await the decision of the protest before paying, or he would thus become personally responsible in the event of the objection against the winner being sustained. From what we could learn on the disputed point, there appears to be no strong evidence in support of the protest, and we think the backers of the winner will eventually receive their money.

FIRST HEAT.—In pools, RODEN's entry, *Penobscot Chief*, was made a warm favorite, selling for $100; *Tempest* for $60, *Lady Augusta* $60, and the field $30. *Lady Augusta* was the first to show in front after the word was given, the favorite being second, and *Lady Murphy* third. At the turn *Lady Augusta* broke when alongside the *Chief*, but although she lost her lead for a moment, she quickly caught and resumed it, passing the quarter-pole a length ahead of RODEN's horse, who was on a run at that point, *Lady Murphy* being third and *Tempest* next; time 38½ seconds. Going along the far side, DOTY and RODEN were head and head for some fifty yards, but then *Lady Augusta* began to quit him, and she led him two lengths at the half-mile pole; the *Chief* being four lengths ahead of *Lady Augusta*, and *Lady Franklin* last; time—1:15¾. On the Flushing end *Lady Augusta* broke, but catching quickly, continued her lead to the turn into the homestretch, where four lengths separated her from *Penobscot Chief*, who was six lengths before *Lady Murphy*; *Tempest* half a length behind the latter, but on a run. Retaining her lead home *Lady Augusta* jogged across the score a winner by four lengths; *Penobscot Chief* second, two lengths before *Lady Murphy*. Time—2:36¼.

SECOND HEAT.—*Lady Augusta* led when the judges gave the word, the *Chief* second, *Lady Franklin*, *Lady Murphy* and *Tempest* being their immediate following. *Lady Augusta* held her advantage around the turn and to the quarter-pole, where she was two lengths ahead of *Tempest*, who led *Penobscot Chief* as far, the latter being on a break. Time—39 seconds. There was no change in these positions along the far side, and at the half mile was passed, in 1:17, *Lady Augusta* was leading two clear lengths, *Tempest* second and three lengths before *Penobscot Chief*, who had *Lady Murphy* on his wheel, and *Lady Franklin* on a run behind. On the Flushing end *Lady Augusta* broke, but, being a capital catcher, she was down in a moment to a square trot, and led the field three lengths at the head of the stretch; *Tempest* being fully as far before *Lady Murphy*, and *Penobscot Chief* last. *Lady Murphy* again left her feet at the distance stand, but she had plenty to spare, and striking a trot quickly she crossed the score a winner by two lengths; *Tempest* second, six lengths before *Lady Murphy*, who was four lengths ahead of *Penobscot Chief*. Time—2:36¼.

THIRD HEAT.—Any odds on *Lady Augusta*, against whom a protest was made, just after the horses came out on the track for this heat. The judges, as above mentioned, allowed her to start under protest. *Penobscot Chief* took the lead, with *Tempest*, the favorite, and *Lady Franklin* side by side, and *Lady Murphy* on a run, when the word was given. At the turn, *Lady Augusta* was in front, and, out-trotting the lot, led them a clear length at the quarter-pole, with *Lady Murphy*, on a break, second; *Tempest* third, and *Penobscot Chief* last. Time—38 seconds. There was no change along the backstretch, and at the half-mile pole, passed in 1:16, the favorite was leading *Lady Murphy* three lengths, with *Tempest* as far behind the latter; *Lady Franklin* fourth, and *Penobscot Chief* last. The heat was now virtually over, for *Lady Augusta* came away and won in the easiest of jogs up the stretch, with *Lady Franklin* second, three lengths before *Tempest*, and *Penobscot Chief*, the original favorite, last of all. Time—2:36¾.

To-day the postponed trot for 2:24 horses for a purse of $2,000, is to take place. The entries are the four famous fast horses, *Idol*, *J. J. Bradley*, *Surprise* and *Western New-York*. It is certain to be a most exciting race and well worth witnessing.

SUMMARY.

FASHION COURSE, L. I., May 20.—Purse, $1,000; $600 to the first, $300 to the second, and $100 to the third; for horses that never beat 2:34.

J. Doty's b. m. Lady Augusta	1	1	1
J. Lowery's b. m. Lady Franklin	3	5	2
D. Mace's blk. m. Tempest	4	2	3
J. Murphy's b. m. Lady Murphy	3	3	4
M. Roden's br. g. Penobscot Chief	2	4	5

Time—2:36¼, 2:36¼, 2:36¾.

Base-Ball—Mutual vs. Eckford.

The game at the Union Grounds yesterday between the above Clubs resulted in the defeat of the Eckfords by a score of 22 to 3. A large number of spectators were present, and much interest was manifested in the game notwithstanding its onesidedness. The decisions of Mr. WALKER were prompt and gave general satisfaction. Score is appended.

MUTUAL.	O.	R.	ECKFORD.	O.	R.
E. Mills, 1st b.	3	4	Allison	3	0
Eggler, c. f.	3	3	C. Hunt	3	1
Hatfield, s. s.	4	2	Devyr	5	0
Patterson, l. f.	3	3	R. Hunt	3	0
Nelson, 2d b.	3	3	McDermott	3	0
Martin, r. f.	2	3	J. Snyder	3	1
C. Mills, c.	5	1	Jas. Snyder	3	1
Wolters, p.	2	2	Duffy	3	0
Swandell, 3d b.	3	1	Lynch	1	1
Total	27	22	Total	27	3

INNINGS.

	1st.	2d.	3d.	4th.	5th.	6th.	7th.	8th.	9th.	Total.
Mutual	5	4	1	2	3	2	2	2	1	22
Eckford	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	3

Time of game—Two hours and twenty-five minutes.
Umpire—Mr. CHAS. WALKER, of Active Club.

Chess.

The first game of the match at chess between Capt. MCKENZIE and Mr. FREDERICK PERRIN was contested yesterday before a numerous assembly of chess-players. The game was played on even terms, and Capt. MCKENZIE had the advantage of the first move. After a spirited contest of three hours' duration, the game was drawn.

The stipulations of this match are, that the winner of the first seven games shall be the conqueror. In half of the games Capt. MACKENZIE is to give pawn and move to Mr. PERRIN, and in the other half the games are to be played on even terms.

Police Trials—A Remarkable Steam-Boat.

Twenty-five patrolmen were arraigned before Commissioner BOSWORTH yesterday, of whom fifteen were charged with neglect of duty, eight with violations of the rules, and two with improper conduct. The only case having any general interest was that of GEO. W. WINTERS, pilot of the Harbor Police steamer *Metropolitan*, who was charged with carelessness in running into the bark *Excelsior*, off the Battery, whereby both the bark and steamer were considerably damaged. But the pilot averred that the accident was not due to carelessness, but was wholly owing to the wonderful qualities of the marvelous Police steamer, by virtue of which she persistently refuses to pay the slightest attention to her helm, and habitually "wobbles," making more leeway than headway. Judge BOSWORTH did not seem disposed to concede her possession of these extraordinary gifts, and said she had [illegible]

THE PUBLIC PARKS.

Important Meeting of the New Commissioners—Fat Places for Subordinates—Appointments—An Extensive Parade-Ground to be Provided—Committees.

At the meeting of the Department of Public Parks, on Thursday, the Board, in perfecting its organization, determined not to change the personnel of the principal employes in the conduct of the work at the Central Park and the various other works under the control of the Department, and to forward with energy and dispatch the works intrusted to their care free from political control or influence over those in their employ.

Commissioner HILTON, from the Committee on By-laws, presented the following report submitting a code of by-laws for the government of the Department and its employes, which were adopted:

The Committee on By-laws and Ordinances have fully considered the subject referred to them of devising regulations, to control not only the action of this Board, but also to regulate its method of doing business and so organizing it that through appropriate bureaus its duties may be simplified, and its orders and directions executed with certainty and dispatch.

With this view, while retaining in the Board supreme control of all matters within the duties of the Department, we have deemed it highly desirable to have every employe feel the responsibility of his position, and so far as the chief officers are concerned, to impress upon them the necessity for the exercise of their best personal attention and judgment in the performance of their duties.

To accomplish this we believe it will be advisable to give each chief of bureau an individuality, and lead him to feel that success in his efforts will redound to his personal fame and honor, while inattention and failure on his part will lead to disapproval and dismissal.

No greater spur to ambition can be devised in promoting a proper public work, like the parks and places committed to our charge, than to make each prominent employe feel that his success is bound up with it, and that his failure will be attributed to his inattention or want of ability.

In this spirit we have organized the various bureaus of the Department, and we believe that pursuing the course we suggest will lead to beneficial results.

Meetings of the Board will be held on Tuesday of each week, at 2 P. M.

The officers of the Board to be a President and Secretary.

There shall also be a Clerk to the Board, and other officers as provided for.

The President shall make all appointments on recommendation of members of the Board.

The Treasurer to be appointed by the Board. He shall make all payments, and monthly report the condition of finances. There shall be established a Bureau of Accounts, having charge of all the books and accounts of the Department. The head of such Bureau shall be denominated the Controller, to whom all daily reports shall be returned.

It shall be the duty of the Clerk of the Board to supervise and conduct the business of the office of the Board. He shall prepare all papers for meetings of the Board and Committees. He shall conduct correspondence, issue all official notices, receive the reports of employes. The Controller shall be ex officio Clerk of the Board, and shall have such assistants and accountants as shall be deemed necessary. In this Bureau there shall be a Property Clerk, who shall have the general custody of the stores and property of the Department.

It shall be the duty of the Assistant Clerk to perform such duties as the Controller may require, and in the absence of the Clerk discharge the duties devolving on the Clerk.

There shall be a Bureau of the Central Park having charge of each Park—the head of such Bureau to be denominated the Superintendent of the Central Park.

There shall be a Bureau of Construction and Repairs, the head of which shall be denominated the Engineer in Chief. His duties shall be the directing and supervising all work to be done. There shall be attached to this Bureau a Surveyor, who shall, with an assistant, make all surveys, and prepare necessary plans. There shall be a Bureau of Public Squares and Places, having charge of all public squares within the City, except Central Park, the head of such Bureau to be denominated Superintendent of Public Squares and Places. He shall superintend all such squares and places. The overseer in charge of each square and place to make reports to Superintendent.

There shall be a Bureau of Landscape Gardening, the head of which shall devise and prepare plans for ornamenting the parks.

There shall be a Bureau of Police, the Captain of which shall control the various Park-keepers in the employ of the Board.

The head of each Bureau will be expected to perform such duties as the Board may from time to time direct.

No Chief of Bureau shall make any contract or incur any liability unless authorized by the Board.

The following standing committees, each to consist of two members, to be appointed by the President: 1. A Finance Committee; 2. An Executive Committee; 3. An Auditing Committee.

The President shall be ex officio a member of all standing committees, and as such shall be Chairman of the Executive Committee. The Auditing Committee shall certify all bills and accounts.

The Executive Committee shall be charged with such duties as may be from time to time referred to it, and shall be authorized to make all orders, directions and regulations of the Board and control and direct its affairs.

All requisitions for supplies shall be referred to the Executive Committee and the purchases made under their direction.

Resolutions were adopted appointing ANDREW H. GREEN Controller of the Department of Public Parks; M. A. KELLOGG, Engineer in Chief; J. WREY MOULD, Architect in Chief; B. F. GRANT, Superintendent of the Central Park; IGNAZ A. PILAT, Chief Landscape Gardener; HENRY KOSTER, Captain of Central Park Police. Messrs. OLMSTED and VAUX, Chief Landscape Architects, advisory to the Board. The Engineer in Chief, in conjunction with the Chief Landscape Gardener, were directed to report, at the earliest day, plans for the improvement of the various City squares and places, excepting those already directed to be improved.

The Controller was directed to report the cost of each structure or building now upon the Central Park.

The Architect in Chief, the Superintendent of the Central Park and the Chief Landscape Gardener, were severally directed to report what works are now in progress under their direction, specifying particularly the structures now in course of erection, and the probable cost of expense necessary to complete the same, according to present plans and intentions.

Commissioner HILTON presented a code of ordinances for the government and regulation of the Central Park, which was adopted.

A resolution was adopted recognizing the necessity of a parade ground for the use of the First Division, N. G., S. N. Y., and declaring it inadvisable to set apart any portion of the Central Park for such purpose, and the Executive Committee were authorized to consider the subject of selecting a piece of ground suitable for parades, reviews and drills of all arms of the service.

The President appointed the following Committees: Finance Committee—Commissioners GREEN and HILTON; Executive Committee—Commissioners HILTON and FIELDS; Auditing Committee—Commissioners FIELDS and HILTON; the President being ex officio a member of all standing committees, and as such Chairman of the Executive Committee.

The clerk was directed to notify all the officers of the Department that the orders of the Executive Committee are to be promptly obeyed and performed when communicated through any member or the clerk thereof.

Resolutions relative to proceeding with the proposed alterations of the City Hall Park, and as to filling up offices of the Board, were referred to the Executive Committee.

A communication from Messrs. OLMSTED, VAUX & Co., landscape architects, with a plan for the rearranging of the Sixth and Seventh avenue approaches to the Park at Fifty-ninth-street, were received and referred to the Executive Committee.

A report was received from M. A. KELLOGG, engineer in charge of the Boulevard work, in answer to a resolution of the Board as to furnishing a convenient roadway from Fifty-ninth-street to One Hundred and Eighth-street during the present season, which was ordered printed in document form.

The Board then adjourned.

Investigation of the Charges Against District-Attorney Morris.

The Committee appointed last week by the Board of Supervisors, to investigate the rumor that District-Attorney MORRIS had misappropriated certain moneys set apart by the Board for the payment of an assistant clerk in his office, met yesterday afternoon in the rooms of the Board.

The case, as far as the evidence went, stands as follows: In the month of December last Mr. MORRIS was authorized to hire an assistant clerk, at a salary of $1,500; but instead of doing that he saw fit to hire one at $10 per week, and used the remainder of the salary to have other public business performed. The books of the office were produced by Mr. MORRIS, showing that not one cent of the money in question had been used for his own personal ends; he also invited the Committee to visit his room, where, he said, every cent of money drawn by him would be accounted for. As far as the clerk is concerned, it was shown that he was discharged in October for incompetency, and that Mr. MORRIS deducted $60 from his salary on that account; but even that transaction is registered on the books of the office. The question is simply this, "Had Mr. MORRIS the right, after having received authority to hire a man at $1,500 per annum, to employ a person to do the work for $600?"

The general feeling about the matter is that the charge is brought by the Attorney's political opponents, for the purpose of damaging his reputation in the eyes of the community.

The Committee will meet again on Tuesday next, at 2 P. M.

Lost Fenian Munitions of War—Action to Recover on a Policy of Insurance.

A suit has been commenced in the Superior Court, Trial Term, Part I., before Judge JONES and a jury, in which HERMAN FUNKE and others seek to recover from the Mercantile Mutual Insurance Company $15,000, under a policy issued by the defendant to Gen. STURM, on war materials shipped in 1867 on board the schooner *Samuel T. Keese*, for Vera Cruz. The entire cargo insured by Gen. STURM was valued at over $50,000, and consisted of munitions of war, a great proportion of which was purchased from the Fenian leaders in this City. An action by Gen. STURM on a policy of another insurance company covering a portion of the same cargo was tried some time since in the Court of Common Pleas, and resulted in a verdict for the plaintiff. The goods on which it is sought to recover in the present action were as follows: Seventy-two cases containing 1,440 Spencer rifle muskets, one complete 12-pounder brass battery, 100,000 Enfield cartridges, 200,000 metallic cartridges, 1,500 rounds 12-pounder fixed ammunition and 504 rounds 24-pounder fixed ammunition. The cause is still on trial. Mr. DA COSTA and Mr. PARSONS appear for the plaintiff; Ex-Judge FULLERTON for the defendant.

Internal Revenue Returns.

The following are the returns made to the offices of internal revenue during the month of May, of the gross receipts by the different railroad, ferry and stage companies, and places of amusement, and the number of cubic feet of gas consumed:

RAILROADS.

	Gross Receipts.
Second-avenue	[illegible]
Third-avenue	[illegible]
Sixth-avenue	[illegible]
Seventh-avenue	[illegible]
Eighth-avenue	[illegible]
Ninth-avenue	[illegible]
Central Park, North and East River	[illegible]
Dry-dock, East Broadway, and Avenue B	[illegible]
Avenue C	[illegible]
Bleecker-street and Fulton Ferry	[illegible]
New-York and New-Haven	137,309
New-York and Harlem	[illegible]
Hudson River	199,861
Erie	230,118
Total	[illegible]

STAGES.

Fifth-avenue stages	[illegible]
Madison-avenue stages	[illegible]
Manhattanville stages	[illegible]
Central Park stages	1,012
Broadway and Fourth-avenue stages	15,534
Broadway and Twenty-third-street stages	[illegible]
Broadway and Eighth-street stages	[illegible]
Broadway and Second-street stages	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]

FERRIES.

Pavonia Ferry	[illegible]
New-York and Brooklyn, (Grand-street)	[illegible]
Harlem Navigation Company	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]

LOTTERIES.

Barr's lotteries	[illegible]

AMUSEMENTS.

Fifth-Avenue Theatre	[illegible]
Booth's	[illegible]
Wood's	[illegible]
Bowery	[illegible]
Bryant's Minstrels	[illegible]
Grand Opera-House	[illegible]
Olympic Theatre	[illegible]
Wallack's Theatre	[illegible]
Kelly & Leon's	[illegible]
San Francisco Minstrels	[illegible]
Academy (Max Strakosch)	[illegible]
New-York Circus	[illegible]
Bowery Theatre	[illegible]
Niblo's Garden	[illegible]
Tony Pastor's	[illegible]
Theatre Comique	[illegible]
Niblo's	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]

GAS COMPANIES.

	Cubic Feet.
Metropolitan Gas Company	27,781,494
Harlem Gas Company	5,574,719
New-York Gas Company	[illegible]
Manhattan Gas Company	[illegible]
Total	186,626,946

Brooklyn Internal Revenue Returns.

The following presents a comparative statement of assessments for income tax in the Second and Third Metropolitan Districts for 1869 and 1870:

SECOND DISTRICT.

Div.		1869.	1870.	Inc.
1.	Sixth Ward	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
2.	Seventeenth Ward	13,418	19,008	5,594
3.	Tenth Ward	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
4.	Twelfth Ward	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
5.	New-Utrecht, Eighth and Twenty-second Wards	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
6.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
7.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
8.	The County Towns, ex. New-Utrecht	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
9.	[illegible] Wards	57,091	[illegible]	[illegible]
10.	Eighteenth Ward	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Total	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Deducting the loss of $664 in the Eighth Division, the total increase in the district is $70,175. The Eighth Division is mostly a farming district, which accounts for the falling off.

THIRD DISTRICT.

	1869.	1870.
First Division	[illegible]	[illegible]
Second Division	[illegible]	[illegible]
Third Division	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fourth Division	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fifth Division	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sixth Division	[illegible]	[illegible]
Seventh Division	[illegible]	[illegible]
Eighth Division	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ninth Division	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tenth Division	[illegible]	[illegible]
Eleventh Division	[illegible]	[illegible]
Twelfth Division	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]	[illegible]

The gross receipts for the month of April, of the Savings Banks, are returned as follows:

[illegible]

The following are the gross receipts during April, in premiums of the various

INSURANCE COMPANIES.

Williamsburg Fire Insurance Company	[illegible]
Lafayette Insurance Company	11,624
Kings County Insurance Company	3,000
Firemen's Trust Insurance Company	[illegible]
Long Island Insurance Company	4,654
Mechanics' Insurance Company	[illegible]
Montauk Insurance Company	[illegible]
Nassau Insurance Company	[illegible]
Phoenix Insurance Company	[illegible]

The following table shows the gross receipts:

FERRY COMPANIES.

Greenpoint Ferry Company	[illegible]
Houston-street Ferry Company	[illegible]
Union Ferry Company	[illegible]

THE CITY RAILROADS.

Atlantic and Flatbush Railroad Company	[illegible]
Grand-street and Newtown Railroad Co.	[illegible]
Broadway Railroad Company	[illegible]
Brooklyn City Railroad Company	107,308 00
Brooklyn and Newtown Railroad Company	11,341 58
Brooklyn and Hunter's Point Railroad Co.	[illegible]

PLACES OF AMUSEMENT.

Park Theatre	[illegible]
R. M. Hooley	[illegible]
Athenaeum	[illegible]
European Circus Company	[illegible]
Tooley's Circus Company	[illegible]

AUCTIONEERS.

Wyckoff & Little	[illegible]
W. W. Backus	[illegible]
Cole & Murphy	[illegible]
H. Feldman	[illegible]
T. W. Lindsay	[illegible]
Hageman & Co.	[illegible]

GAS-LIGHT COMPANIES.

Brooklyn Gas-Light Company	[illegible] feet
Citizens' Gas-Light Company	[illegible] feet
Williamsburg	[illegible] feet
Union, (Flatbush)	[illegible] feet

Music at Central Park To-day.

The Department of Public Parks announce that if the weather be fine there will be music at the Central Park by the Central Park Band today, 21st inst., commencing at 5½ o'clock, P. M. The following is the programme:

PART I.

1. Central Park March ... C. S. Grafulla
2. Overture, "Die Frau Meistern" ... Suppe
3. Air, "I Think of Thee" ... Abt
4. Waltz, "Telegramme" ... J. Strauss

PART II.

5. Galop, "Attaque" ... Lakeby
6. Overture, "William Tell" ... Rossini
7. Now Ever ... Tito Mattei
8. Waltz, "Wiener Fresken" ... J. Strauss

PART III.

9. Galop, "Freikugeln" ... J. Strauss
10. Selection from "Orphée aux Enfers" ... Offenbach
11. "I Due Foscari," selection ... Verdi
12. March, Commandant ... Schwabeda

National Airs.

President Larremore Not to Resign.

The report that Hon. RICHARD L. LARREMORE, owing to his election to the Common Pleas Bench, will at once resign his position as President of the Board of Education, is at least premature. No change will be made in the Commission at present. Should Judge LARREMORE find the discharge of the two duties too arduous, and a vacancy be occasioned by his resignation of the Presidency, the place will be filled by the Mayor, who, under the provisions of the new charter, has the power to appoint a successor.

A "Sharper" at New-Rochelle—A Hotel-Keeper the Victim.

A little sharp practice in the confidence line was carried out at New-Rochelle a few days ago by a man attired in the height of fashion, calling himself WALTER WOOD, a Wall-street lawyer. He put up at the hotel of Mr. ROBERT S. SPURGE, stated that he was about to visit Europe, accompanied by his wife, and made arrangements to have his three daughters, his wife's sister, a servant and a span of horses well provided for during his absence, for which accommodations Mr. SPURGE was to receive $230 per month. The fashionable guest was so delighted with New-Rochelle that he was induced to prolong his visit for some days, during which time he lived upon the best of everything that could be obtained, and thus ran up a bill of about $80, and ere the worthy host thought of presenting a bill for board, &c., the artful dodger handed Mr. SPURGE a check on the People's Bank of New-York for $235 as an advance payment for the board of his family, at the same time remarking that he would settle for his own board on going away. Mr. SPURGE, at the suggestion of his guest, at once proceeded to the City to get the check cashed. The next train conveyed to the City WALTER WOOD, the Wall-street lawyer, who is supposed to be now swindling some other good-natured landlord in like manner; for on presentation of the check at the bank, it was, of course, pronounced to be worthless.

THE PRODUCE EXCHANGE.

Report of the Special Committee on Extra Assessment—Another Meeting to be Held to take Action Concerning It.

A meeting of the members of the New-York Produce Exchange was held at the Exchange Rooms, Whitehall-street, at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, to hear the report of the Committee appointed to investigate the matter of increasing the yearly assessment of members from $10 to $50, concerning which, as was reported in the TIMES a few days ago, there is much disagreement among the members. Col. EDWARD HINCKEN occupied the chair.

Mr. THEO. H. PERRY, Chairman of the Special Committee, read a lengthy report setting forth that the Committee had examined the books of both the Produce Exchange and of The Produce Exchange Company, and had compiled a table setting forth the number of members of the latter organization, the rents from sample boxes, disbursements, cost of improvements, &c., which would be submitted to members in printed form; that there had been paid into the treasury since the organization of the Exchange $430,000, from subscriptions and rent; that the Board of Managers had not for nine years past made to the Exchange any report of their financial proceedings, and hence the dissatisfaction existing among the members; that the number of members now is 1,900, and that the building (leased from the Trustees of the Produce Exchange Company) could be purchased from the Company for $600,000. The disbursements of the Exchange had increased from $8,335 in 1862–3 to $17,700 in 1869–70. The managers at first thought that an extra assessment would not be needed, but the increased expenditures, owing to the introduction of telegraphic apparatus into the building, the employment of a statistician at a salary of $4,000 per annum, the publication of the *Price Current* at a loss of about $3,000 annually, and other increase of disbursements, they found, rendered an increase of assessment necessary. The Committee recommend that, hereafter, the publication of the *Price Current* be confided to private enterprise. About twelve and a half per cent. has been the average annual earnings of the Exchange, but the cost of improvements, which will not have to be paid for again, has greatly reduced this amount before it went into the fund. The Committee go on to show how the present organization is an improvement on the old Corn Exchange system, in the fact that each member has only one vote, no matter how many shares he may hold. They recommend that in future there be a more general representation of all branches of the trade in the Board of Managers; and that the Board should impose no extra assessment, without the consent of a majority of the members. The report closes with a series of resolutions, to the following effect:

That the managers of the Association should enact a by-law requiring the Treasurer to publish annually, fifteen days before the yearly election, a statement of the receipts and disbursements for the year, and that they request the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees to furnish a like statement as to the receipts and disbursements of that Board, to accompany the same.

That in the levying of any extra assessment a general meeting of the members be called, and that the managers be guided by its action.

That the managers ought to so adjust the expenses of the Exchange that, hereafter, the yearly subscription will be sufficient, and that the amount of subscription for the present year be fixed at $[illegible].

That in reorganizing the direction of the Exchange, the managers should be governed by the opinion of the members, as expressed in public meeting.

The report was accepted.

Col. REED said that the matter was a most important one, and, as some radical changes were proposed by the Committee, he moved that 2,000 copies of the report, and resolutions be printed and circulated among the members, in order that they might give them a careful and thoughtful consideration. The motion was carried, and

The meeting then adjourned to Wednesday next, at 1 P. M.

Proposed New Buildings.

The following is the list of new buildings proposed since the last report, and for the week ending Thursday, May 19, 1870:

BROWN-STONE FRONTS.

Eight first-class dwellings, south side of Eighty-second-street, 70 feet east of Third-avenue, 16.8 by 50, basement and three stories; Mrs. M. E. REID, owner.

Three first-class dwellings, south side of Eighty-fourth-street, [illegible] feet east of Second-avenue, [illegible] by 45, two stories; CHARLES F. MALLORY, owner.

Three first-class dwellings, north side of Sixty-first-street, [illegible] feet east of Third-avenue, [illegible] by [illegible], three stories; TERENCE FARLEY, owner.

Two first-class dwellings, north side of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth-street, [illegible] feet east of Third-avenue, 17 by 45, basement and three stories; JAMES S. DALE, owner.

One first-class dwelling, [illegible] side of [illegible]-street, [illegible]; [illegible], owner.

One first-class dwelling, [illegible]-avenue, [illegible] by [illegible], four stories; B. G. ARNOLD, owner.

Three stores and tenements, Nos. [illegible] Second-avenue, [illegible], five stories; [illegible] BOLLER, owner.

One tenement-house, south side of Thirty-second-street, [illegible] feet west of Second-avenue, [illegible], four stories; THOMAS MALCOLM, owner.

BRICK FRONTS.

Ten first-class dwellings, south side of Fifty-sixth-street, [illegible] feet west of First-avenue, [illegible], three stories; TERENCE FARLEY, owner.

Ten stores and tenements, east side of First-avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets, [illegible], four stories; TERENCE FARLEY, owner.

Four stores and tenements, east side of Third-avenue, [illegible] feet south of Forty-fifth-street, 18.9 by 65, four stories; JOHN FETTRETCH, owner.

Four stores and tenements, south-east corner of Second-avenue and Forty-fourth-street, [illegible] by [illegible], basement and four stories; JACOB WEIR, owner.

One store and tenement, south side of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth-street, [illegible] feet west of Eleventh-avenue, 25 by [illegible], two stories; JOHN RYAN, owner.

One store and tenement, north-west corner of Stanton and Clinton streets, [illegible], five stories; AUGUST STERN, owner.

One store and tenement, No. [illegible] West Thirty-third-street, [illegible] by 45, two stories; JOSEPH HILL, owner.

One store and tenement, No. 103 First-street, [illegible] by 62, five stories; MICHAEL FROMME, owner.

One store and tenement, north-east corner of Second-avenue and Forty-eighth-street, [illegible] by [illegible], five stories; JOHN WITTSCHEN, owner.

Eight tenement-houses, east side of Second-avenue, between Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets, 20 and 24.7 by 60 and 58, five stories; THOMAS GRANTY, owner.

One tenement-house, No. 104 Henry-street, [illegible] by [illegible], basement and five stories; A SIMON & BROTHER, owners.

One tenement-house, No. [illegible] Ridge-street, [illegible] by [illegible], one and one-half stories; LOUIS AUJIE, owner.

One store, No. [illegible] Gold-street, 18.7 by 104, three stories; [illegible], owner.

One office, north side of Sixty-first-street, [illegible] feet west of Third-avenue, 20 by 205, two stories; TERENCE FARLEY, owner.

One office, east side of First-avenue, 100 feet south of Sixtieth-street, [illegible] by [illegible], two stories; J. CARPENTER, owner.

One office, &c., south-east corner of Thirteenth-avenue and Gansevoort-street, [illegible] by [illegible], two stories; ANDREW HEWSER, owner.

One factory, No. 218 Centre-street, 24.1 by 81.5, five stories; WILLIAM HASTINGS, owner.

One factory, south side of Twenty-eighth-street, [illegible] feet east of Eighth-avenue, [illegible] by [illegible], five stories; ABRAM B. WELSH, owner.

One factory, No. 297 West Twenty-eighth-street, [illegible] by [illegible], six stories; FREDERICK BECK, owner.

One saloon, No. 117 Second-street, 30 by [illegible], one story; GOTTLIEB KRUGNER, owner.

One laundry, Ninth-avenue, Thirty-third to Thirty-fourth street, 50 by 125, three stories; New-York Institution for the Blind, owner.

One stable, north side of Fifty-fifth-street, [illegible] feet east of Fifth-avenue, [illegible] by 24, two stories; Mrs. E. JONES, owner.

One stable, No. [illegible] West Fortieth-street, [illegible], one story; W. SCHWIERS, owner.

One stable, No. 450 Eighth-avenue, (rear,) 15x18, two stories; [illegible], owner.

FRAME BUILDINGS.

One second-class dwelling, north side of One Hundred and Thirteenth-street, 100 feet west of Avenue A, 21x28, three stories; PATRICK CURLEY, owner.

One second-class dwelling, west side of Avenue A, [illegible] feet 4 inches south of Seventy-eighth-street, [illegible], two stories; JOSEPH SCHAMAR, owner.

RECAPITULATION.

Total number buildings	[illegible]	Stores and tenements	[illegible]
Brown-stone fronts	[illegible]	Store	1
Brick fronts	[illegible]	Factories	[illegible]
Frame buildings	2	Offices	[illegible]
First-class dwellings	[illegible]	Stables	[illegible]
Second-class dwellings	2	Miscellaneous	2
Tenement-houses	[illegible]		

List of Unsafe Buildings.

Since the last report, and for the week ending Thursday, May 19, 1870, only eight buildings have been reported as unsafe at the office of JAMES M. MACGREGOR, Superintendent of Buildings. The list is as follows, and the particulars are annexed:

Unsafe Generally—Nos. [illegible] and [illegible] Third-avenue, GEORGE HAILEY owner; No. 1,332 Third-avenue, E. MCMAHON owner; No. 177 William-street, (rear,) JEREMIAH RIDLEY owner.

Unsafe Chimneys—No. [illegible] East Broadway, MORRIS ALEXANDER owner; No. [illegible] Lewis-street, JAMES SIMONS owner; No. 133 Lewis-street, JOHN TITUS agent.

Unsafe Chimneys and Gutters—No. [illegible] Madison-street, EUGENE KETELTAS owner.

Board of Aldermen—Special Meeting—Pavements and Printing.

The Board of Aldermen met at noon, yesterday, by special call, somewhat suddenly and quite unexpectedly. Mr. COMAN occupied the chair.

A large quantity of Belgian pavement was ordered to be laid, and also the following wooden pavements: [illegible] wood pavement in One Hundred and Twenty-eighth-street and in Fifth-avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets; [illegible] pavement in Fifty-sixth, Eighty-third, Forty-third and [illegible] streets; [illegible] pavement in Eighty-fifth, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth, One Hundred and Eleventh, and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets.

The resolution in relation to the Corporation printing from the other Board was referred to a committee, and a resolution adopted taking the Corporation printing away from EDMUND JONES & Co., and giving it to the New-York Printing Company.

Five thousand copies of the annual report of the Central Park Commissioners were ordered to be published.

The resolutions directing the Clerk of the Common Council to compile and publish all decisions of the Courts, and all opinions of the Corporation Counsel relating to municipal matters were amended by striking out the words "Clerk of the Common Council" and inserting "Corporation Counsel."

A large quantity of routine business relating to sewers, gas-lamps, &c., was disposed of and the Board adjourned till to-day.

Custom-House Changes.

The following changes have taken place in the Collector's office since April 30: Night Inspectors, at $3 per day—John J. Brown, vice A. C. Dean, removed; James C. Howell, vice J. H. Book, removed. Clerks—J. D. Terry, vice J. Roberts, $1,200, deceased; C. Sedgewick, vice J. F. Emerson, $1,400, promoted; W. Speiden, vice J. G. Wright, $1,200, resigned; J. W. Camp, vice C. Sedgewick, $1,200, promoted; J. F. Emerson, vice J. D. Terry, $1,600, promoted; E. W. Hart, vice J. L. Denniston, $800, removed. Inspectors at $4 per day—George L. Steele, vice S. A. Waterbury, removed; James St. Clair, vice Wm. Wilson, resigned; W. H. Millgate, vice A. S. Penfold, removed; Julius Brusen, vice H. Caswell, removed. The following store-keepers have been discontinued: Wm. Bones, S. D. Moody, James Woolsey, J. O. Barker. Compensation of J. H. Lewis increased from $800 to $1,000.

The Value of a Leg—Suit to Recover $20,000.

In the Superior Court, Trial Term, Part II., before Judge MONELL and a jury, JOHN TOOHEY, a hack-driver, has brought a suit in which he claims $20,000 from the Old Dominion Steamship Company. The plaintiff was, during the month of September, 1868, injured on the defendant's dock. It appeared that the plaintiff, having left his carriage on the street, was hurrying to enter the defendant's dock to solicit passengers. Just as he was approaching the entrance gate, it was being let down, and in attempting to press through, the descending gate slipped and fell on him, causing a scalp wound and a fracture of the leg, by reason of which he was disabled for four months and still complains of disability. Plaintiff's case was proved by the agents of the defendant, and the testimony being in, the Court, on motion of defendant's counsel, dismissed the complaint on the ground that the testimony failed to fasten negligence on the defendant, and also failed to show affirmatively a want of negligence on the part of plaintiff.

FLANAGAN & GROSS appeared for the plaintiff; MANN & PARSONS for the defendant.

The Surrogate's Court—Another Contested Will Case Disposed Of.

The argument in the matter of the contested will of JACOB ROGALINER, which has for the past few weeks occupied the attention of the Surrogate, almost to the exclusion of other business, was concluded yesterday, the respective counsel in the case summing up. JACOB ROGALINER was a merchant doing business in this City. Upon opening his will, made just previous to his death, it was found that his widow, a second wife, and her children, were entirely cut off by the terms of the instrument, and the property, amounting to some $10,000, devised to the testator's two sons, the issue of a former marriage. The will is contested by the widow, on the ground of incapacity, caused, it was attempted to be shown, by epileptic fits, and also that the deceased was unduly influenced in his action. A number of creditors of the estate will be pleased to hear that the case is concluded, as during its progress they have been exceedingly clamorous for their money. HOMER A. NELSON, Secretary of State, and J. S. RITTERBAND are the lawyers for the proponents, and Ex-Judge E. J. BEACH appeared for the contestants. The Surrogate reserved his decision.

Sheridan, the Wife Murderer—Habeas Corpus.

An application was made yesterday to Judge CARDOZO, of the Supreme Court, by Mr. EDWIN JAMES, for a writ of *habeas corpus* to bring up the body of THOMAS SHERIDAN, to the end that he may be released on bail, or for such other relief as the Court may see fit to grant. SHERIDAN, it will be remembered, stands charged with having murdered his wife by shooting her while she was in her room with another man.

The Court granted the writ and made it returnable this morning, at which time it is proposed to bring up the testimony which was taken on the Coroner's inquest.

LAW REPORTS.

DECISIONS.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—MAY 20.

By Judge Cardozo.

Case vs. Woodward; motion denied; costs to abide the event.

Black vs. Keller, and the Third-avenue Savings Bank vs. Wheeler; motions granted.

The Eleventh Ward Bank vs. Reis; motion denied. Lopal vs. Schabroth; motion for receiver granted.

SUPERIOR COURT—SPECIAL TERM—MAY 20.

By Judge McCunn.

Porter vs. Parmely; motion granted and referee appointed.

Crany vs. Bridgewater Paint and Color Works; motion granted, and judgment vacated.

DeKorn vs. Stuart; I think in this case the plaintiff has done his best in furnishing particulars; the motion for a further bill must be denied without costs.

Cauthon vs. Cauthon; by consent of counsel this cause is referred to a referee to hear and determine. Brown vs. Cannon; motion granted, directing cause to be removed to the Marine Court.

Willard vs. Allen; motion granted, and cause referred.

Hollander vs. Levy; motion dismissing appeal granted by default.

Spangenmacher vs. Bennett; motion granted, and referee appointed.

Wilson vs. Leach; motion appointing receiver granted.

By Judge Spencer.

Squires vs. Sherman; judgment for plaintiff for $1,277 61, with costs and disbursements, with the sum of $60 as additional costs in the action.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT—SOUTHERN DISTRICT.

Before Judge Benedict.

ALLEGED DETENTION OF A LETTER.

The United States vs. Lewis Chapman.—This was an indictment against this defendant, who was, formerly a letter-carrier, for having on Oct. 5, 1869, unlawfully detained and embezzled a letter addressed to Mrs. Ernestine Hoffman, No. 11 Chrystie-street, and containing a check for $237. The indictment contained seven counts, some of which charged the offense against the defendant in his official capacity, and others charged it against him as a private person. On six counts, which charged the prisoner with embezzlement, a felony, he could have been imprisoned for ten years; while on the fifth count, which charged him with wrongfully detaining the letter, a misdemeanor, the most severe sentence could have been but six months' imprisonment. For these defects in the indictment, counsel for the defense moved that the prosecution be compelled to elect on which count they would proceed, and by consent of the District-Attorney, it was agreed to proceed upon the fifth count only. Edward Withers, for the prosecution, testified that he was Superintendent of the Post-office; that complaint was made to him by Mrs. Hoffman that a letter to her had been received at the Post-office, but not delivered to her; that the letter was found, somewhat torn, in the place for letters whose owners could not be found, and that the defendant, when asked, said that Mrs. Hoffman did not live in the house to which the letter was directed, and that he could not be sure that she was the proper person to deliver it to. Mrs. Ernestine Hoffman testified that she did not live at No. 11 Chrystie-street when the letter came, but that learning that the defendant had called at Chrystie-street with a letter for her, and meeting him in the Bowery, she demanded the letter and the defendant refused to give it to her, and afterward, at her house, demanded $75 as the condition of delivering it. On the cross-examination of this witness she did not appear to be of very good character. The defense introduced numerous witnesses to testify to the good character of the accused, also a Mrs. Van Heusen, who testified that she was within hearing at the time of the interview between the defendant and Mrs. Hoffman; that the latter was very violent and that no such demand as Mrs. Hoffman testified to was made by the defendant. The defense claimed that the letter was not delivered because the defendant could not be certain that the person claiming it was, in fact, entitled to it, and that the break in the envelope was made by the strap used by the defendant to secure the letters in a bundle. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

Assistant District-Attorney Jackson for the Government, Charles S. Spencer for the defendant.

COMMON PLEAS—GENERAL TERM.

Before Chief-Justice Daly, and Judges Loew and Brady.

PRACTICE IN CIVIL DISTRICT COURTS—THEY HAVE JURISDICTION IN ACTIONS AGAINST FOREIGN CORPORATIONS HAVING A PLACE OF BUSINESS IN THE CITY OF NEW-YORK.

Michael Ahern vs. The National Steam-ship Company.—The decision in this case, made on appeal by the Common Pleas at General Term, will prove of interest to lawyers and litigants. The appeal was from the judgment of the First District Court. The plaintiff, a resident of the City of New-York, brought the action to recover the value of certain work, labor and services performed by him for the defendant, a foreign corporation, created by act of Parliament, but having a place of business in the City of New-York. On the return day of the summons the defendant appeared by counsel and objected that the Court had no jurisdiction in such actions. The objection was overruled by the Justice, and the defendant withdrew from the case. The plaintiff thereupon proved his case, and the Justice rendered judgment in his favor, for the amount of his claim. The defendant appealed to this Court. The appeal was argued by John Chetwood for the appellant, and by William C. Gilford for the respondent.

LOEW, J., in delivering the opinion of the Court, says: "The only question to be determined by us on this appeal is whether the District Courts in this City of New-York have jurisdiction in actions against foreign corporations. It has been held by this Court, that a foreign corporation like the defendant cannot be compelled to appear in those Courts, and that they have no jurisdiction over such corporations unless they do appear and plead to [illegible]

... the action (Fuller *vs.* Brush Manufacturing Company, 3 E. D. Smith's, 30.) That decision was rendered before the passage of what is generally known as the District Court act (Laws of 1857, chapter 344,) and unless that act, or some other act amending the same, can be construed as conferring such jurisdiction on those Courts, this judgment must be reversed. [illegible]

... It has always been my impression that the Legislature intended ... And I would still feel inclined to deny this power to them now, if we were compelled to base our decision upon the provisions referred to alone; but by section 12 of an act passed in 1862, it is provided as follows: "No person who shall have a place of business in the City of New-York, shall be deemed to be a non-resident under the provisions of this act." (Laws of 1862, chap. 484, sec. 12.) Although this act is entitled "An Act in relation to the Courts in the City and County of New-York," [illegible] ... And I think it is obvious that the Legislature intended that this twenty-third section should apply to the District Court act. [illegible]

... No person, therefore, having a place of business in the City of New-York is to be considered or deemed a non-resident under the provisions of the District Court act. Now the word person may be construed to include a corporation. (People *vs.* Ray, 27 Barb. 128; State of Indiana *vs.* Woram, 6 Hill, 33; People *vs.* Utica Insurance Company, 15 John., 358; Parker Mills *vs.* Commissioners of Taxes, 23 New-York, 242.) But we are not called upon to determine whether or not the Legislature intended to extend the word person as used in the District Court act, to a corporation. By section 30 of that act it is expressly declared that the word person shall include a corporation as well as a natural person. It would seem to follow that a corporation having a place of business in the City of New-York, shall not be deemed a foreign or non-resident corporation. I have, therefore, although not without some hesitation, come to the conclusion that a District Court has jurisdiction in an action against a foreign corporation that has a place of business in the City of New-York. Suits may be brought in these Courts by and against non-resident natural persons, and I know of no good reason why the jurisdiction given them by the Legislature, in actions against corporations, should be limited to domestic corporations, when by legislative enactments we are clearly warranted in holding that it extends to foreign corporations as well. Moreover, it would be a great hardship, if not a virtual denial of justice, to compel a party like the plaintiff, whose claim is less than $50, to resort to a Court of Record for redress. I think the judgment of the Court below should be affirmed.

Chief-Justice DALY and Justice VAN BRUNT concur in this decision.

CITY COURT—BROOKLYN.

Before Judge Thompson.

George W. Reed, &c., vs. Edward Lambert.—In this suit, noticed yesterday, the Court directed a non-suit, on the ground that the testimony did not furnish sufficient evidence that there had been any perversion of the bonds by the defendant.

For plaintiff, Joshua M. Van Cott and George Red. Dutton; for defendant, Henry C. Place and Daniel T. Walden.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—May 20, 1870.

FIRST BOARD—10½ A. M.

[illegible — tables of sales at the First Board, Second Board (12½ and 2½ P. M.), Second Board (1 P. M.), and National Stock Exchange—Noon]

FRIDAY, May 20—P. M.

As a general report, the Wall-street markets today were dull. There was some activity in Exchange for Saturday's steamers, and partial preparations made for shipping Gold to the extent of $500,000 or $600,000 in the shape of refined Gold Bars, withdrawn from the Assay Office. There was also employment for Gold, to the extent of $615,000, to pay Customs Duties into the Treasury. But, withal, the Gold Room was dull, the sales scarcely varying from 114⅝ ₩ cent throughout the day, and the rates for Bills on London were no higher than yesterday—109⅝ ₩ cent. net @ 109⅞ less a small brokerage for 60 days, and 110 @ 110⅛ for sight and short sight. The demand for Money was light, and the rates 4 @ 5 ₩ cent to the leading houses in Stocks on call loan. The Public Funds were steady on the 5-20s after the decline of yesterday following the large offerings to the Treasury. There was a demand for the 1867s at 114⅜, and for the 1865s at 115⅞ @ 114 ₩ cent.

On the Stock Exchange the Southern State Bonds were in fair demand, and the prices something better than yesterday. The Railway market, influenced in some degree by the fall in Lake Shore yesterday, and continued heavy sales of the Stock today, was very much unsettled, and the lower tone of confidence betrayed on the side of the *Bull* party for a day or two past, has inspired the opposite party with courage to put out *short* contracts. There is no particular reason given for this change of feeling, beyond the suspicion that during the upward excitement of last week, which culminated on Thursday, May 12, a large amount of the Western Stocks was turned upon the weaker speculators of the Street by one or more of the *Bull* combinations; and while this operation was followed by stiffer figures for New-York Central and Reading, the Western list has not been able to recover its buoyancy, though several times this week showing signs of recovery. Today the weak spot was Lake Shore. There were also heavy sales of Rock Island at about 120 @ 120⅛ ₩ cent., and a dullish feeling in the St. Paul Stocks. The impression was less unfavorable against the North-Wests and Ohio and Mississippi. New-York Central and Reading were comparatively steady. The Miscellaneous list was weak on the decline in Pacific Mail.

Late this afternoon Exchange was quoted [illegible]

... and the Railways quoted as follows, as compared with Thursday night:

CLOSING QUOTATIONS, MAY 20.

	Thursday.	Friday.
United States 6s, '81	[illegible]	[illegible]
United States 5-20s of 1862	112	112¼
United States 5-20s of 1867	114⅝	114¼
American Gold Coin	114½	114⅝
Bills on London, 60 days	[illegible]	109⅝
New Bonds of Tennessee	[illegible]	[illegible]
N. Y. Central and Hudson	101¼	101¼
N. Y. C. and H. Debt Certificates	[illegible]	[illegible]
Reading Railroad	[illegible]	104¼
Chicago and Rock Island	120⅜	119⅞
North-western Common	81¼	[illegible]
North-western Preferred	90¼	89¼
Pacific Mail Company	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Paul Preferred	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Paul Common	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lake Shore	96⅞	96⅜
Ohio and Mississippi	38⅝	38⅜
New-Jersey Central	109	109

UNITED STATES TREASURY, NEW-YORK, May 20.

General balance yesterday	[illegible]
Gold receipts	[illegible]
Gold payments	362,026 71
Gold balance	[illegible]
Currency receipts	754,322 [illegible]
Currency payments	[illegible]
Currency balance	3,240,682 70
General balance	[illegible]
Customs	615,000 00

The following bids were made for the various Public Funds of the United States at the close of business:

[illegible — table of bids for Public Funds]

And the following for the State Bonds:

[illegible — table of bids for State Bonds]

And the following for the Railway Mortgages:

[illegible — table of bids for Railway Mortgages]

And the following for the City Bank Stocks and Miscellaneous Shares:

[illegible — table of bids for City Bank Stocks and Miscellaneous Shares]

PHILADELPHIA STOCKS—MAY 20.

Telegraphed to Messrs. E. D. Randolph & Co.

	Bid.	Asked.
City 6s, Old	101	101¼
City 6s, New	102⅝	102¾
Camden and Amboy	120	120⅜
Pennsylvania Central	112¼	112⅜
Reading	104⅜	104½
Lehigh Valley	[illegible]	[illegible]
Catawissa Preferred	[illegible]	[illegible]
Philadelphia and Erie	[illegible]	[illegible]
Northern Central	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lehigh Navigation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lehigh Gold Loan	[illegible]	[illegible]

The St. Paul Road earned for two weeks in May, $392,000 as against $331,000 same fortnight last year. From the first of January the receipts are $1,990,927 against $1,917,962 in 1869 to date.

The week's imports of foreign dry-goods have been to specie value of $1,665,590; amount marketed, $1,525,274.

The Louisville and Nashville Railroad connects the two large cities from which it takes its name, and, with its branches in the State of Kentucky, is 390 miles long. The cost of the work and its present equipment has been over $16,000,000, which was mostly furnished by the cities and counties along the line. The road has been in successful operation for many years, and is doing a prosperous and steadily increasing business. The following is the income account for the fiscal year ending 30th of June, 1869:

Gross earnings	$2,321,128 55
Running expenses	1,249,461 79
Net earnings	$1,071,676 76

Comparative statement of earnings for six months, from July to December, 1869, inclusive, and corresponding six months of 1868:

	1868.	1869.	Increase.
July	$147,077	$195,391	$48,313
August	182,418	244,132	61,714
September	206,088	279,216	73,132
October	213,844	292,700	78,856
November	208,601	271,005	62,404
December	217,282	254,140	36,858
Total	$1,175,310	$1,536,583	$361,327

Increase, 30½ ₩ cent.

As the road was built almost entirely by local subscriptions, the whole amount of its present bonded debt is but $8,211,000. The new Mortgage Bonds of the Company are advertised on another page as for sale by Messrs. DREXEL, WINTHROP & Co., and other Bankers.

BANKING AND FINANCIAL.

HOWES & MACY, BANKERS,

30 Wall Street, N. Y.

FOUR PER CENT. INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

The business of this house is the same as an Incorporated Bank.

Persons keeping accounts may deposit and draw as they please, the same as with the City Banks, and will be allowed interest on their daily balances at 4 per cent.

Collections made on any part of the United States or Canada.

Orders for the purchase or sale of the various issues of Government and other Stocks, Bonds, and Gold, promptly executed for the usual commission.

OF THE SOUTHERN CENTRAL RAILROAD is now completed the entire distance from Owego to Auburn. [illegible]

VERMILYE & CO., the Financial Agents of the Road, offer the remaining small portion of the Bonds with the greatest confidence, [illegible]

The Bonds bear seven per cent., have thirty years to run, and they are convertible into stock at the option of the holder.

BANKING AND FINANCIAL.

OF NOTICE TO EUROPEAN TRAVELERS AND OTHERS.

The latest official issue of the LONDON DIRECTORY may always be consulted at the offices of HOWE & STORES, Advertising Agents, [illegible]

The contents of this mammoth edition of nearly 3,000 pages, embrace the following classified lists: Official, Banking, Commercial, Streets, Trades, Law, Court, Parliamentary, Postal, Clerical, Conveyance, Assurance, Manufacturing Companies, &c., &c.

COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

NEW-YORK, Friday, May 20, 1870.

The receipts of the principal kinds of produce since our last have been as follows:

Ashes, pkgs.	4	Pork, bbls.	80
Bees-wax, pkgs.	[illegible]	Cut-meats, pkgs.	[illegible]
Cotton, bales	491	Lard, pkgs.	[illegible]
Copper, bbls.	[illegible]	Lard, kegs	[illegible]
Copper, cakes	[illegible]	Stearine, pkgs.	[illegible]
Eggs, bbls.	[illegible]	Butter, pkgs.	[illegible]
Flour, bbls.	[illegible]	Cheese, boxes	[illegible]
Wheat, bushels	[illegible]	Tallow, pkgs.	[illegible]
Corn, bushels	[illegible]	Oil, Lard, bbls.	[illegible]
Malt, bushels	2,000	Oil-cake, pkgs.	[illegible]
Oats, bushels	[illegible]	Peas, bushels	[illegible]
Beans, bushels	[illegible]	Starch, boxes	[illegible]
Cornmeal, bags	[illegible]	Tobacco, hhds.	[illegible]
Hemp, bales	[illegible]	Tobacco, boxes & cs's	[illegible]
Hides, No.	[illegible]	Whisky, bbls.	[illegible]
Leather, Sides	[illegible]	Wool, bales	[illegible]

The export clearances since our last reported at the Merchants' Exchange, Pine-street, have been as follows:

By the ship *Arvonia*, for London—[illegible] bbls. Rosin, 4,317 bags Oil-cake, [illegible] lbs. Manufactured Tobacco, 171 cks. Sperm-oil, 2,762 bbls. Flour, [illegible] Beef, 17,810 lbs. Bees-wax, 42 bales Bark, 2,047 bags Linseed Cake.

By the ship *Carl*, for Bremen—7,137 bbls. Refined Petroleum, 18,000 Staves.

By the brig *Rapido*, for Gibraltar—[illegible]

By the brig *Omega*, for Gibraltar—[illegible] gallons Refined Petroleum, [illegible]

By the bark *Victoria*, for Bremen—[illegible] gallons Refined Petroleum.

By the brig *Felix*, for Bilboa—74,[illegible] gallons Refined Petroleum.

By the bark *Maitland*, for Gibraltar—[illegible]

ASHES—[illegible] for Pots, and $9 25 @ $9 75 for Pearls, ₩ 100 lbs.

BEESWAX—[illegible] steady at 36c. @ 37c. for Yellow, ₩ lb.

BOOTS AND SHOES—[illegible]

BRICKS—[illegible]

CANDLES—Have been very dull at irregular figures. [illegible]

CEMENT—[illegible]

COAL—[illegible]

COCOA—[illegible]

COFFEE—[illegible]

COTTON—[illegible]

Closing Prices of Cotton.

	Uplands.	Mobile.	N. O.	Texas.
Ordinary	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Good Ordinary	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Low Middling	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Middling	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Good Middling	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Movements of Cotton at this Port.

[illegible]

DRUGS, DYES AND DYE-WOODS—[illegible]

FEATHERS—[illegible]

FISH—[illegible]

FIRE-CRACKERS—[illegible]

FOREIGN LIQUORS—[illegible]

FLOUR AND MEAL—[illegible]

FRUIT—[illegible]

GRAIN—Wheat has been depressed and quoted lower, under freer offerings, partly to arrive. The demand has been moderate, mainly for export, though in part for milling purposes. [illegible]

GUNNY BAGS AND BAGGING—[illegible]

HAY—[illegible]

HEMP—[illegible]

HIDES—[illegible]

HONEY—[illegible]

HOPS—[illegible]

LEATHER—[illegible]

LIME—[illegible]

LUMBER—[illegible]

METALS—[illegible]

MOLASSES—[illegible]

NAVAL STORES—[illegible]

OILS—[illegible]

PETROLEUM—[illegible]

PROVISIONS—[illegible]

NEW CROP BUTTER.

[illegible]

NEW CROP CHEESE.

[illegible]

OLD CROP CHEESE.

[illegible]

RICE—[illegible]

SALT—[illegible]

SALTPETRE—[illegible]

SEEDS—[illegible]

SKINS—[illegible]

SOAP—[illegible]

SPICES—[illegible]

SUGARS—[illegible]

TALLOW—[illegible]

TEAS—[illegible]

TOBACCO—[illegible]

WHISKY—[illegible]

FREIGHTS—[illegible]

NEW-YORK CATTLE MARKET.

NEW-YORK, Friday, May 20, 1870.

[illegible]

WEEHAWKEN SHEEP MARKET.

JUDD & BUCKINGHAM sold [illegible] Sheep, [illegible]

FORTY-FOURTH-STREET SHEEP MARKET.

[illegible]

FORTIETH-STREET SHEEP MARKET.

[illegible]

FORTIETH-STREET HOG MARKET.

Trade dull at yesterday's quotations, viz: [illegible] for Dressed Hogs. The Hog trade in this City is just now almost exclusively in the hands of slaughterers.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

Board of Aldermen—Stated Session.

[OFFICIAL.]

THURSDAY, May 19, 1870, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in their Chamber, No. 16 City Hall, pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Thomas Coman, Esq., President, in the chair, and the following members:

Aldermen Moore, Reilly, Miller, Murray, Welch, Culkin, Seger, O'Brien, Wultman, Barker, Dimond, Croglen, Croker, Jackson—15.

RESOLUTIONS.

By the President—

That the Controller be directed to lease the upper portion of building numbers two hundred and thirty-four and two hundred and thirty-five Broadway, for use of the Department of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

COMMUNICATION.

The President laid before the Board a communication from the Nicolson Pavement Company, being specifications for their improved pavement—Robbins process.

Which was ordered on file.

MOTIONS.

Alderman Miller moved that the Committee on Street Pavements be discharged from further consideration of resolutions that Thirty-third-street, from Lexington-avenue to East River, be paved with Robbins pavement, and that Fifty-eighth-street, from Third to Lexington-avenue, be paved with Nicolson pavement.

Which were carried, and the papers laid over.

On motion the Board took a recess for half an hour.

AFTER RECESS.

3½ o'clock P. M.

Present—Thomas Coman, Esq., President, in the chair, and a quorum of members.

MOTIONS.

Alderman Barker moved that the Committee on Streets be discharged from further consideration of resolution that permission be given to the New-Haven Railroad Company to replace tracks in Franklin-street, between Elm and Centre streets.

Which was carried and the paper laid over.

On motion, the Board then adjourned until Monday next, twenty-third instant, at two o'clock P. M.

JOSEPH SHANNON, Clerk.

Board of Assistant Aldermen—Stated Session.

[OFFICIAL.]

THURSDAY, May 19, 1870—2 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in their Chamber, number sixteen City Hall, pursuant to adjournment.

Present—John Reilly, Esq., President, in the chair, and the following members:

Assistant Aldermen Healy, Lysaght, O'Brien, Galvin, Robinson, Hill, Hampson, Rogers, Mulligan, Costello, Gibney, Schlichting, Haughton, Feitner, Seery, McDonald—17.

The minutes of meeting held May twelve were read and approved.

PETITION.

By Assistant Alderman Seery—

Of Benjamin G. Arnold, for permission to erect a bay window on street side of building on north-east corner of Madison-avenue and Fortieth-street.

Which was laid over.

RESOLUTIONS.

By Assistant Alderman Haughton—

To donate seven hundred and sixty-five dollars and seventy-one cents to the Church of the Epiphany, to pay certain taxes and expenses.

Which was laid over.

By Assistant Alderman Gibney—

To place and light a street-lamp in front of number four hundred and fifteen Second-avenue.

Which was laid over.

By Assistant Alderman Hill—

To place and light a street-lamp in front of number two hundred and thirty-five East Broadway.

Which was laid over.

... from the District ...

To lay Belgian pavement in Warren-street, from Broadway to West-street.

By Assistant Alderman Mulligan—

Relative to the City printing.

Which were adopted.

PAPERS FROM THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Resolutions Appointing Daniel A. Boniface a Commissioner of Deeds, vice John T. Kelly, who failed to qualify; also John C. Wilson, Charles Gross, Edward [illegible], and Stephen O'Keefe, [illegible]

Which were severally concurred in.

Resolution Appointing Hendly Warren a Commissioner of Deeds, vice [illegible], who has failed to qualify.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Resolution, That the expense of providing a stand of colors for the Eighth Regiment, National Guard, State of New-York, be taken from the appropriation for City Contingencies.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

MESSAGE FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Board a message from the Mayor, returning, without approval, resolution providing for collecting, compiling and publishing [illegible]

To the Honorable the Board of Assistant Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN: The Mayor returns, without his signature, and with his objections, the annexed resolution authorizing the compilation by the Clerk of the Common Council of the [illegible] because the cases referred to in the resolution have all been duly reported and published in the reports accessible to the public at a cheap rate, and the carrying out of the resolution is needless. Besides, in the Mayor's opinion, if any one should be employed to perform the work, it should be the Corporation Counsel.

A. OAKEY HALL, Mayor.

MAY 14, 1870.

Which was received, laid on the table for ten days, and directed to be entered at length in the minutes, and published in two or more papers employed by the Corporation.

MOTIONS.

On motion of Assistant Alderman Costello, the resolution appointing Lorenzo Lord a Commissioner of Deeds, vice Richard Flannigan, who has failed to qualify, was taken from file and concurred in.

On motion of Assistant Alderman Hill, the Committee on Salaries and Offices was discharged from further consideration of resolution appointing [illegible] W. White a Commissioner of Deeds, vice W. W. Cook, resigned; also of resolution to appoint Frank Danzig a Commissioner of Deeds, vice Benjamin Todd, resigned, and the same were concurred in.

On motion, the Board then adjourned until Saturday next, the twenty-first instant, at two o'clock P. M.

WM. H. MOLONEY, Clerk.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

FEMALES.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTABLE, steady young woman as good cook; understands her business thoroughly; no objection to do the coarse washing; will be found trustworthy; first-class City reference. Inquire at No. 158 West 30th-st., for two days.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE YOUNG girl, a situation as lady's maid and seamstress; understands all kinds of family sewing; can operate on Wheeler & Wilson's machine; good City reference. Call for two days at No. 169 West [illegible]-st., near 7th-av., second floor, front room.

WANTED—BY A SUPERIOR NURSE, with excellent City reference, a situation in the City or country to take charge of an infant from its birth; is a first-rate sewer. Call at No. 209 East [illegible]-st., for two days.

WANTED—BY TWO YOUNG GIRLS, SITUATIONS, one as cook, washer and ironer, and one as chambermaid and seamstress, or chambermaid and waitress; has best City reference. Call or address No. 227 East 18th-st.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG LADY, A FEW more engagements by the day or week; can do all kinds of family sewing and help dressmaking. Address by letter, Miss HUGHTON, No. 110 West 30th-st., City.

WANTED—BY AN ENGLISH PROTESTANT girl, a situation as cook, washer and ironer in a private family where they keep but one girl; good City reference. Call for two days at No. 120 Clinton-st., in the store.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTABLE young woman as first-class waitress; has no objection to assist with chamber-work if required; has the best City reference of four years from her last place. Call at No. 115 West 19th-st., near 6th-av.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG WOMAN, A SITUATION as lady's maid and seamstress, or would take care of grown children and assist in chamber-work; is willing to go in the country; good reference. Call for two days at No. 126 Henry-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A YOUNG woman, (American Protestant,) as thorough infant's nurse; can take the entire charge, night and day, and bring it up on the bottle; good seamstress; good City reference. Call at No. [illegible] East [illegible]-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS NURSE, TO take charge of growing children in a family where much sewing would not be required; prefers giving her services to a family going to the country; willing to travel. Apply by note to A. E., No. 1,304 Broadway.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE YOUNG woman, a situation as chamber-maid and plain sewer, or would do chamber-work and fine washing; best of City reference from her last place. Call for two days at No. 155 West 23d-st.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE WOMAN, who understands her business to take family, hotel and all kinds of washing home; City reference. Call at No. 128 East 7th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A GOOD German girl to do general house-work. Call at No. 127 Norfolk-st., between Rivington and Stanton sts.

WANTED—A SITUATION TO TAKE CARE of children by a young girl lately landed; has no objections to the country; can do plain sewing. Call at No. 217 East 34th-st.

WANTED—A LADY WISHES TO PROCURE a situation for a laundress in the City, whom she can highly recommend. Apply at No. 15 East 44th-st.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE WOMAN, a situation as good cook; is willing to assist with the washing and ironing; the best City reference. Call at No. 155 West 18th-st., near 6th-av.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE PROTESTANT woman, a situation as good cook and baker; no objection to the washing; country or City. Call at No. 167 West 19th-st., near 6th-av.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE YOUNG girl, a situation to do general housework in a private family; good reference. Call for one week at No. 317 East [illegible]-st., between Avenue A and B.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTABLE young girl, to do chamber-work and assist with washing, or chamber-work and assist with washing; no objection to the country. Can be seen at No. 70 8th-av.

WANTED—BY A COMPETENT WOMAN, A situation as cook; can give best City reference. Call or address No. 186 West 31st-st., between Broadway and 7th-av.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE GIRL, a situation as cook, washer and ironer in a private family; best of City reference given. Apply at No. 323 West 33d-st.

WANTED—BY A FIRST-CLASS LAUNDRESS, a situation; would do chamber-work and fine washing; thoroughly competent, and has most desirable City references. Call at No. 111 West 30th-st.

WANTED—A CHAMBER-MAID'S SITUATION by a young woman who is willing to do chamber-work, washing and ironing. Apply for two days at her present employer's, No. 21 East 36th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTABLE girl as seamstress; can cut and fit and do all kinds of family sewing, and operate on machine; good reference. Call at No. 244 East 30th-st.

WANTED—BY A PROTESTANT WOMAN, a situation as laundress; is fully competent to take charge of a laundry; the best of City reference. Call for two days at No. 268 East 33d-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTABLE young girl to do chamber-work and waiting in a private family; good City reference given. Call at No. 345 East 18th-st., between 1st and 2d avs.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FRENCH cook (real cordon bleu) in a private family; not going without a kitchen girl. Call at No. 405 6th-av.

GERMAN FEMALE SERVANTS, CAPABLE and trustworthy, constantly to be found at Mrs. LOWE'S German Institute, No. 1 First-st.

MALES.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTABLE young man (Protestant) lately landed, as coachman or groom; City or country; country preferred. Call or address J. Mc., No. 47 West 27th-st., for two days.

WANTED—SITUATIONS BY A MAN AND wife; man understands farming, plain gardening, horses and stock in general; wife would do the house-work of a small family, or take charge of a dairy; good reference. Address A. B., Box 201 Times Office.

WANTED—BY A SINGLE MAN, A SITUATION as coachman; is a good kitchen gardener; can milk; has good reference from last employer; can be seen in the City. Address F. C., Box No. 211 Times Office.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A SMART, active young man as coachman and groom; thorough good City driver; will be found civil and obliging; best City references. Call on or address J. S., No. 788 Broadway.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS COACHMAN and groom by a young man who thoroughly understands his business in all its branches; no objection to the country; has first-class City reference. Call or address PURSELL, Box No. 235 Times Office.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—AN ENGLISH, SCOTCH OR Welsh waitress, to assist in chamber-work; also a laundress to assist in chamber-work, to go a short distance out of the City. Apply at Mrs. SANDERS' office, No. 49 3d-av., this day and Monday.

WANTED—TWO RESPECTABLE COLORED women—one as cook, the other as waitress; both must thoroughly understand their business, and bring the best of references. Apply at No. 38 West 37th-st.

WANTED—TO GO TO STATEN ISLAND, A good cook; must be willing to assist with the washing. Call at No. 11 Lexington-av., today, Saturday, between 12 and 2 o'clock P. M.

WANTED—AN INTELLIGENT AMERICAN lad, in a law office. Apply at Room No. 14 No. 51 Cedar-st.

WANTED—A GOOD COOK, TO ASSIST IN washing and ironing. Call Saturday from 11 to 2 at No. 1 West 37th-st. City reference required.

WANTED—AT NO. 111 EAST [illegible]-ST., A first-class laundress.

IRON WORKS.

J. B. & W. W. CORNELL,

PLAIN AND ORNAMENTAL

IRON WORKS.

All kinds of cast and wrought iron work for building. Counting house and warerooms,

NOS. 139 AND 143 CENTRE-ST.

AUCTION SALES.

ALLEN B. MINER, Auctioneer.

IMPORTANT ART SALE,

BY HENRY H. LEEDS & MINER.

ON THE EVENINGS OF FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, MAY 20 AND 21,

at 7½ o'clock each evening, at the

LEEDS ART GALLERIES, NOS. 817 AND 819 BROADWAY,

will be sold, positively without reserve, one of the

FINEST GALLERIES OF MODERN ART EVER OFFERED TO THE PUBLIC IN THIS CITY.

This collection will comprise the

Original of the large picture destroyed by fire,

THE REPUBLICAN COURT OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN,

BY ROTHERMEL;

THE CIRCASSIAN SLAVE,

Painted to order for Charles X. of France,

BY DUBUFE;

PRESIDENT ABRAHAM LINCOLN

Delivering his second Inaugural Address,

BY LEUTZE;

LONG BRANCH IN THE SEASON BY MOONLIGHT, 1869,

BY ROSENBERG;

ITALIA,

BY THE BARON WAPPERS, OF BRUSSELS,

with a series of fine paintings by the following eminent American artists, viz.:

GIFFORD, JAS. HART, TAIT, NEHLIG, POPE, LENG, SONNTAG, SMILLIE, BIERSTADT, W. HART, HADE, BRISTOL, J. G. BROWN, DE HAAS, OGILVIE, FAIRMAN, BONDEL, [illegible], KING, WILLIAMSON, CULVERHOUSE, CARTER AND OTHERS.

And the leading European Masters,

BORCHARD, DIAZ, MAROHN, MELLER, CHAPLIN, DUMARESQ, DEVAUX, FAUVEL, LEDRU, ROZIER, L'EPINAY, DUBOURGAL, BILDERS, MARTENS, VILLAMEE, BENNASSAR, LEON, BORKMANN, WAUTIER, COUDER, MONFALLET, VON WILLE, ERDMANN, TOUSSAINT, LACHENWITZ, JERNBERG, CARL HOFF, SELL, JACOBSON, HERREN, LINDLAR, ADLOFF, ARNZ, NOEL, SPANGLER, KLEIN, WILMS, FRIEBEL, LASSALLE, KREUTZER, KOEK KOEK, RUYTEN, MARS, VERHOEVEN, BALL, VAARBERG, RIDAN, GERARD, VERTEN, VAN HAMME, CARABAIN, SPOHLER, LINNIG, COMS, DE BRACKELEER, SCHAEFELS,

AND OTHERS OF EQUAL CELEBRITY.

Also a bust of J. C. CALHOUN,

BY GREENOUGH,

and several pieces of statuary from the New-York Club, and a fine mosaic table.

(THE COLISEUM, ROME.)

On view on and from MONDAY, May 16, from 8 A. M. until 10 P. M.

ALLEN B. MINER, Auctioneer.

BY HENRY H. LEEDS & MINER.—On the evening of SATURDAY, May 21, 1870, At the "LEEDS ART GALLERIES," Nos. 817 and 819 Broadway, corner 12th-st., ABRAHAM LINCOLN delivering his second inaugural address, by E. LEUTZE from Library of New-York Club. Life size. This painting is considered to be one of the best.

PORTRAITS OF THE LATE PRESIDENT, and as a work of art is in every way worthy of the late artist.

ALSO,

the MARBLE STATUARY from the Conservatory of the NEW-YORK CLUB, viz.:

TWO BACCHANTES, TWO SPHINXES, CROUCHING VENUS, MAID AT THE FOUNTAIN, and THE FAWN.

ALLEN B. MINER, Auctioneer.

BY HENRY H. LEEDS & MINER.—ON SATURDAY, May 21, at 10½ o'clock, at their sales-room, Nos. 9 Chambers and 77 Reade sts.,

ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., consisting of a general assortment, removed for the convenience of sale, viz.: Velvet, Brussels and ingrain carpets, gilt-frame French plate pier-mirrors, rosewood and black-walnut suites in brocatel and reps, marble-top center-tables, étagères, book-cases, bedsteads, bureaus, wash-stands, wardrobes, mattresses, pillows and bolsters, [illegible], office desks and chairs, oil-paintings and engravings, china tea-sets, iron safe, dining and extension tables, [illegible] sewing-chairs and lounges, cooking-utensils, china, glass-ware, &c.

Also at 12 o'clock,

for account of whom it may concern, to pay charges, elegant carved black-walnut bedroom suite, [illegible] finished, marble-top dressing-bureau, marble-top wash-stand, mirror-door armoire-a-glace and spring mattress. ALSO, A PAIR OF ELEGANT SOLITAIRE DIAMOND EAR-RINGS, several rosewood seven-octave pianos, by well-known makers.

MORRIS WILKINS, Auctioneer.

SALE BY ORDER OF ISAAC H. KNOX, ADMINISTRATOR OF ESTATE OF HENRY J. BURDEN, DECEASED.—A VERY RARE COLLECTION OF CHOICE WINES, BEING PART OF THE STOCK OF J. HOWARD MARCH & CO. OF MADEIRA.

E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell at auction on THURSDAY, May 26, 1870, at 12 o'clock, in the basement No. 3½ Pine-st., next door but one to their office, removed for convenience of sale,

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

EUROPE.

A change has been effected in the Portuguese Ministry through the agency of the army. The Duke of SALDANHA, at the head of a large body of troops in Lisbon, attacked the Castle of St. George and captured it, and afterward marched on the Royal Palace, where he encountered troops and artillery in position. After firing a few shots the soldiers broke ranks and fraternized. As the movement was not against the King, but his Ministry, the Premier, Duke DE LOULE, tendered his resignation, and SALDANHA was sent for to form a new Cabinet. There is great agitation in the Provinces, as the defeated Ministry have many strong adherents outside of the cities....A French Deputy was burned in effigy by some of his constituents on account of his opposition to the *plebiscite*. Hopes are entertained of important concessions to local government, based on the proceedings of the Commission on administrative decentralization....The Marquis DE TALHOUET has been elected Vice-President of the French Corps Legislatif...The Emperor's speech, to be made today on the formal announcement of the result of the *plebiscitum* has been given to the printers...Prosecutions against the Press continue. The *Rappel* was condemned yesterday in three distinct prosecutions....PROSPER DUVERGIER DE HAURANNE and XAVIER MARMIER, have been elected members of the French Academy....A writer in the London *Standard* hopes to hear no more of international matches, "which do nothing but foster mischievous jealousies." The Americans in Paris are much excited over the *Sappho's* victories....A deputation waited on ESPARTERO, in Madrid, again on the 19th instant, in the hope of inducing him to accept the Crown, but he persisted in refusing to accept....Three Italian frigates are cruising about the island of Caprera to prevent the escape of GARIBALDI into Naples. The sons of the General are among the insurgents in Southern Italy, hence the anxiety of the Government....CHARLES KINGSLEY has been appointed Dean of Rochester. JOHN HENRY PARKER, F. S. A., the London publisher, is dead.

CONGRESS.

In the Senate, yesterday, the morning hour was taken up with a discussion of the House resolution for the final adjournment, on July 4. The debate resulted in the adoption of an amendment, by a vote of 36 to 21, fixing Friday, July 15, as the day. The consideration of the Fifteenth Amendment bill was then proceeded with, and continued until 5 o'clock, without action, when a recess was taken. At a long evening session, the subject was further discussed.

In the House various bills were reported from the Naval Committee; one for the relief of the officers and crew of the ship *Nightingale*, was passed, as was also the bill appropriating $190,000 from the Japanese indemnity fund for the compensation of the officers and men of the *Kearsarge* for the destruction of the *Alabama*. The amount already received for bounties is to be deducted. A similar bill reported appropriating $100,000 from the same fund in reference to the *Wyoming* for an action in Japanese waters in 1863, led to a long discussion, and was finally tabled by a vote of 71 to 50. The Louisiana Contested Election case—NEWSHAM against RYAN, was discussed for some time but not decided. The Senate amendment to the final adjournment resolution was concurred in. The remainder of the session was devoted to business from the District of Columbia. The House adjourned at [illegible].

GENERAL.

The Captain-General of Cuba has proclaimed the freedom of all slaves belonging to insurgents in the field or in foreign countries, who have taken up arms or served as guides to Spanish troops, or otherwise served the Spanish cause. Additional surrenders of insurgents are reported at Puerto Principe.

The subject of the Caughnawaga Canal, in Canada, near Montreal, was presented to the Boston Board of Trade yesterday, and by resolution, passed unanimously, the Board approved of the enterprise.

Information has been received in Washington, from Gen. STANLEY, that the large party of hostile Sioux, who were in large force, threatening the Government officials at the Cheyenne Agency, opposite Fort Sully, has disappeared. Major RANDALL, who is in charge of the agency, is commended for his fortitude in the face of a large band of savage warriors.

In the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, in Philadelphia, a dispatch was received, yesterday, from the Moderator of the last General Assembly preceding the Schism, sending greeting on the reunion of the two branches of the Church.

The General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church, assembled at Cincinnati, elected Rev. Dr. MCLEOD, of New-York, Moderator; Rev. Dr. STEELE, of Philadelphia, Secretary; and Rev. Mr. WOODSIDE, of Brooklyn, Assistant Secretary.

The Diocesan Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church, at Philadelphia, adjourned yesterday, *sine die*. A new diocese, comprising the five counties around that city, has been formed.

A fire in Northampton, Mass., on Thursday night, destroyed property worth $60,000; insured for $37,000. A knitting mill in Bennington, Vt., was destroyed yesterday, causing a loss estimated at $25,000. A fire in FRANCIS PERROT'S malt-house, Philadelphia, damaged $75,000 worth of malt yesterday morning. The oil warehouse of FREEMAN & CHURCHILL, Cleveland, Ohio, was destroyed by fire on the night of the 19th inst.; loss, $40,000. Many other smaller fires are reported in various parts of the country.

Lieut. HARDENBERG'S pickets, posted on the bluffs north of Sidney, Nebraska, were driven in at 8 o'clock on Thursday evening, by thirty Indians. They came from the north and retreated in a westerly direction.

The bill to annex Brighton to Boston has passed to a third reading in the Massachusetts Senate.

The case of LEONARD CHOATE, the "Fire Bug," for setting fire to the Harris-street Church, Newburyport, was called on Thursday in the Superior Court, Newburyport, Mass. The case was postponed till November to await the decision of the Supreme Court on exceptions taken in a trial for another act of arson, in which CHOATE was convicted.

The French transport *Euryale* is overdue fifty days at San Francisco, from Tahiti, and it is feared she is lost.

The loss by the fire in Winona, Ill., on the 18th inst., amounts to about $140,000.

Gen. POPE telegraphs to Chicago that the Indian raid on the line of the Kansas Pacific Railway seems to be ended, and thinks the arrangements made will prevent a recurrence of such an outrage. Gen. SHERMAN telegraphs to Gen. POPE that he hopes the most vigorous measures will be adopted to capture and destroy the Indians who made the raid.

THOMAS HALLORAN, who killed his wife, was convicted in the Morris County, N. J., Court of Oyer and Terminer yesterday of murder in the second degree.

At a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen, yesterday, the Corporation printing was taken from EDMUND JONES & Co. (affiliators with the Young Democracy,) and given to the New-York Printing Company. A large quantity of Belgian and patent wood pavements was ordered to be laid in up-town streets.

CHARLES SCHULTZ, who was charged with attempting to kill his wife by cutting her throat with a razor, was yesterday found guilty of an assault simply, in the Hudson County, New-Jersey, Court of Sessions.

We are indebted to Capts. KUHLEWOIN, of the *Bavaria*, and LEIST of the *Bremen*, for liberal supplies of late continental papers.

Blundering Legislation.

It is undoubtedly necessary to give effect by legislation to the Fifteenth Amendment, but a grave blunder will be perpetrated if this purpose be made a pretext for creating fresh disabilities, or for enacting penalties more harsh and vexatious than the circumstances of the case require. The equality of political rights now guaranteed by the Constitution may surely be secured in practice, without casting imputations upon a large proportion of the Southern people, or contributing to the alienation of races in the Southern States. The South itself has a better appreciation of its needs than Senator MORTON lately evinced when he sought to revive the passions which should be buried with rebellion, and to infuse into the legislation of today the spirit we associate with the agitated counsels of the reconstruction crisis. Events are no longer favorable to partisan intolerance. You cannot read a man out of the Republican Party because he advocates amnesty; you cannot call for his excommunication because he protests against the continuance and multiplication of political disabilities. The declaration of the Convention which nominated GRANT forbids any such violent methods. The acts and the recommendations of those through whose agency reconstruction was achieved, constitute a protest against further proscription in any form.

The Republicans of the South have honored themselves in nothing more than in the moderation—a moderation in some instances amounting to magnanimity—with which they exercised the power conferred upon them by law. They had the opportunity, in the formation of the State Constitutions, and in the measures which legislative majorities subsequently enabled them to pass, of imposing tests and qualifications that would have produced extensive disfranchisement. The conditions under which they met for the performance of their duties were calculated to develop the bitterest temper. But wise and generous instincts triumphed. Those whom Congress had suddenly invested with great power, used it in the interest of peace. They sought to protect themselves in the exercise of their rights, but they made no assault upon the rights of others. The result was that, with scarcely an exception, the new Constitutions are models of fairness and moderation. Even where colored votes were all-powerful, as in South Carolina, the organic law is free from proscriptive taint. The Republicans of the State were content with equal rights,—they have not sought power at the expense of their neighbors; and one of their exponents at Washington, Senator SAWYER, is the zealous and consistent champion of a policy of amnesty and peace. The Mississippi Republicans are not behind in the good work. The harsh provisions of their new Constitution they expunged at the polls; they have formally appealed to Congress for the removal of the disabilities which it imposed; and their Senator, REVELS, with the cruel wrongs of his race fresh in his memory, demands amnesty for his own State, where, as he testifies, the people are "harmonious and prosperous."

Facts of this nature should shame into silence the spirit that would not only keep alive the limited proscription which still exists, but would seek in the enforcement of the newly-ratified Amendment an occasion for other penalties. If this were the only method of maintaining peace we should hesitate to condemn it; for the sake even of amnesty we would not jeopardize security. We are persuaded, however, that the harmonious and prosperous condition of Mississippi, is in no small degree attributable to the generosity of the course pursued by the party that triumphed in Governor ALCORN's election; and in the experience of Mississippi we discern the forerunner of the genuine reconstruction which will be developed in other Southern States, when counsels like those of Senator MORTON lose their influence in the Republican Party.

Is Honesty the Best Policy—or Deception?

Old travelers used to tell a story of the ostrich which was not very complimentary to its intelligence. That interesting bird, when hotly pursued, was said to thrust its head deep into the sand. As it could not then see its enemies, it jumped to the conclusion that no one could see it. The plan was not a very good one, for the ostrich happens to be about ten feet in height, and in hiding its head it only concealed the least prominent part of its body.

Defective as these tactics are, they have been revived in as literal a form as possible by no less respectable a body of men than the Book Committee of the Methodist Church. Our readers recollect the story of the frauds which were discovered in the Methodist Book Concern. There could be no doubt about these frauds. They were brought home to the guilty parties as clearly as anything of the kind ever can be. But the majority of the Committee took alarm at the exposure. They were afraid of the "scandal"—not the scandal, observe, of allowing the funds of the establishment to be misappropriated, but only of having the wrong-doing made known to the public. So the "whitewashers" were called in. They set to work with pail and brush to cover up the ugly spots which had suddenly been brought to light. They said to the public, in substance, "We have been cheated by some of our servants, but it is better not to say anything more about it. We will put up with the loss quietly, rather than run the risk of weakening the confidence of the great body of Methodists in the Book Concern." This was the first attempt to hide their heads in the sand, under the delusion that no one would be able to see them.

Now it happens that a very honest man was and is employed in the Book Concern as "Junior Book Agent." He is known to the public as Dr. LANAHAN. He it was who first discovered the malversation which was practiced in various departments of the institution. Of course he made many enemies by blurting out what he had detected. He has found out a good deal which some of his associates would rather keep quietly in the family—and it is desperately feared that he will yet find out much more of the same sort. Is not that a good reason for getting rid of him? If it is not, the Book Committee would be puzzled to adduce a better one. At any rate, Dr. LANAHAN is to be made away with—quietly "burked," as an honest man is apt to be who finds himself in a house where the other servants are not quite so scrupulous in their notions, and who exposes their true conduct to the chief employer. The Book Committee are summoned privately to a "hole and corner" meeting, where Dr. LANAHAN is to be accused of "slandering" the Book Concern, and where, it is hoped by the ringleaders of the plot, he will receive the punishment of the heinous crime of being faithful to his duty.

The Sub Committee of three clergymen who actually made the examination of the affairs of the Book Concern, all approve of Dr. LANAHAN's course. They saw quite enough to justify his charges. The presiding Bishop was also in favor of discharging the unjust stewards whose malpractices Dr. LANAHAN had discovered. But the majority of the Committee want to hush the matter up, and therefore they insist on the *enfant terrible* being sent out of the house. He tells all that he sees and hears, and in a mismanaged affair like the Methodist Book Concern nothing can be more disagreeable. The Committee wish first to suspend Dr. LANAHAN, and then to stave off the trial as long as possible. On the other hand, Dr. LANAHAN would naturally desire to be tried speedily, for some revelations might then be made which would further tend to justify his conduct, however other persons in the Concern might dread the results.

Such is the present state of affairs. All the Bishops, fifteen in number, are in favor of Dr. LANAHAN. The great body of Methodists must necessarily be on the same side, and now is the time for them to make their opinions known. If Dr. LANAHAN is to be sacrificed, the Book Committee will discover that, so far from burying a scandal, they have stirred one up which will make the most audacious of their number be glad to hide their shrinking heads from the public eye.

Adjournment of Congress.

At last we know the worst. The Senate, yesterday, amended the concurrent resolution sent from the House, fixing the day of adjournment for the 15th of July, instead of the 4th, and the House promptly agreed to the alteration. A motion to reconsider the resolution was subsequently laid on the table, thus making the decision final—so that definite calculations can now be made with reference to the work yet to be done, and the time remaining in which to do it. Within the next eight weeks both Houses must bring their deliberations to a close. When we consider the large amount of unfinished business on the calendar, and the important consequences to the commercial interests of the country which are involved, the interval seems brief; but it is to be remembered that most of the leading measures have been thoroughly discussed, and are as well understood now as they are likely to be if the whole Summer were devoted to them.

If Congress is disposed to address itself to practical business, all the essential legislation now pending can easily be disposed of before the middle of July. It is to be hoped that the warning we have had of the approaching heat will check the profuse eloquence of garrulous members, and induce them to expedite matters as much as is consistent with safety. Both Houses ought to take up the most pressing business first, and dispose of it while there is opportunity for reflection and prudent deliberation. In this category may be included all the Currency and Tax bills, the Georgia bill, and all legislation directly affecting business industries. These once out of the way, Congress might spend its unexpired time in miscellaneous work, and even in quarreling with each other over unsettled problems in philosophy and religion. We hope to see a greater disposition manifested for good, honest work, now that the end of the session is no longer among the uncertainties of the future.

Playing at Cross Purposes.

In accordance with general usage, the Republican Press is diligently striving to interpret the significance of the recent election, and to draw wisdom from the lesson which it presents. As yet we have observed but one point on which there is any general agreement, and that is with reference to the very general apathy existing in the party. Few attempts are made to explain why that apathy is unconquerable, or to point out a satisfactory remedy for it. The *Tribune* calls for a national election law which shall prevent fraudulent voting; it rebukes Republicans for staying away from the polls; it demands a reorganization of the party, without suggesting the means; urges that the State Convention shall be called before the first week in August, and that the best and strongest men shall be put in nomination; and, finally, that the State and County Committees shall be composed of "men who do not trade with the enemy."

These are fine words, but they have no practical significance. We already have an election law stringent enough to answer every requirement, if it were only properly enforced. This could be effected by organized Republican effort, if there existed sufficient enthusiasm to prompt that course. As for an early Convention and a long campaign, experience has demonstrated that the result is never materially affected by such a device; and that, except in a national canvass, the people are apt to become wearied, and the canvass damaged, by excess of political importunity. Of course it is wise to put up the best men as candidates, but not more wise now than it always has been. How are we to get rid of King Caucus, who frequently defeats the best men by means of corrupt management in the interests of unworthy individuals? Precisely what is meant by "trading with the enemy" we do not know, unless it be a bit of self-abnegation, inspired by the untoward result of certain recent negotiations in connection with the new charter. This hypothesis seems to be corroborated by the New-York *Standard*, which openly accuses Mr. GREELEY of a perpetual tendency to "dicker."

The fact is we must go behind all the suggestions of the *Tribune* to find the real explanation of the result of Tuesday's election, as well as to discover the means of preventing a repetition of the disaster in November. The truth is rapidly growing apparent that the Republican Party lacks harmony of thought, as well as efficient leadership. A great party, like a great army, must have both a cause and leaders in order to achieve success. The policy of the past, by which we have hitherto won victories, has, been measurably merged in accomplishment, and out of that accomplishment has sprung a variety of new issues, which no one has yet attempted to deal with in a statesmanlike spirit. The Republican leaders in Congress, whose legitimate work it was to conduct the party, have utterly failed. Instead of rallying round the Administration, and co-operating with and strengthening it, they have been indifferent or hostile, while at the same time they have neglected the public service, and developed nothing but a conflict of policy, and a diversity of action, the first fruits of which were harvested in this State and Connecticut.

Central Park.

Yesterday the Commissioners of Public Parks held a meeting, Mr. PETER B. SWEENY presiding. Nothing was done which tends to justify the apprehensions of those who looked upon a change in the old Commission as a sure precursor of an era of chaos and jobbery. Mr. SWEENY has distinctly pledged himself not to permit any tampering with a property which the public values above all its other possessions. That he will be faithful to his word the meeting yesterday afforded a fresh guarantee. The Board decided not to make any alterations in the force now engaged in the Park, but to carry out all necessary works with strict fidelity, and without the least reference to political influence. None of the persons now employed are to be turned away because their politics do not happen to be the same as Mr. SWEENY'S.

The organization of independent bureaus for the general management of affairs relating to the Park, is a measure probably devised for the purpose of facilitating business. Such an organization could be rendered extremely useful if properly administered—and it is only fair to presume that the Board will look carefully to that point. The City squares and parks are to be improved, and everybody knows that there is great room for improvement. The "landscape gardener" who has been placed at the head of a bureau, will find abundant room for all the talent and ingenuity he may possess. There is, altogether, every appearance of a desire on the part of the new Board to discharge their important trust in such a manner as to win the confidence of the public. The opportunity is a great one. Mr. SWEENY may be quite sure that he is in a position where faithful services will not be thrown away, and where mistakes will neither be overlooked nor pardoned. Central Park is the "lung" of New-York, and none of us could bear to see it come to any harm. Mr. SWEENY cannot but be well aware of the existence of this sentiment, and it would be doing him an unnecessary injustice to suppose that he has entered office with the deliberate intention of rendering himself the most unpopular man within a hundred miles of New-York.

Commissioner Wells and His Report.

The last report of Mr. DAVID A. WELLS fell like a bomb-shell in the camp of the ultra Protectionists. It was widely circulated through the country, and its clear statements of facts carried very general conviction, especially as its conclusions tallied with the general experience as to the necessity of a reduction of taxation. As was to have been expected, the various interests assailed lost no time in defending themselves, and took issue with Mr. WELLS on his statements of fact as well as his conclusions. He met them promptly, and in every instance substantiated his positions in a manner which challenged admiration not only of his industry, but of his acuteness.

It seems, however, that the special friends of some of the interests affected—especially the woolen, cotton and pig-iron interest—were not content to give up the contest at so great a disadvantage to themselves, and attempted quietly to steal a march on the Commissioner yesterday, by presenting an *ex-parte* report from the Committee on Manufactures, which they imagined could not be replied to in time to upset their case at the present session. We can imagine their surprise and chagrin at finding a strong and conclusive answer prepared by the Commissioner at the request of the minority of the Committee, which was ordered to be united with the majority report. A full statement of the facts will be found in our Washington dispatches, and a synopsis of the report is given in our Congressional report. The friends of a reduction of imposts and revenue are very naturally rejoicing over the result. It certainly was a shrewd move on their part, and cannot fail to have a salutary effect upon the issue of the protection struggle which has been going on so long in Congress. At the same time it affords the Commissioner a fair opportunity for a vindication of his statements and recommendations.

The National Wind-bag.

The Forty-first Congress seems determined to acquire the proud distinction of having distanced all its predecessors in performing the minimum of work with the maximum of talk. The public had rashly concluded that previous triumphs in this direction were such as to defy reproduction, and were beginning to expect some little arrears of business to be worked up, now that the exhausted energies of members were supposed to be unequal to further wrangling. But the mercurial temperament of loquacious legislators defies all ordinary calculation. It happened that the greater part of Thursday's session was taken up by a debate, in which every subject was discussed save the one actually before the House. The Committee on Appropriations was, to begin with, rather unfortunate in its spokesman, Mr. KELSEY,—who, with wonderful versatility, glided from a business-like statement of Consular charges, to a disquisition upon the secret service, San Domingo, Federal patronage, Tammany Hall, the Secretary of State, and the Solar System. The association of subjects was loose enough to satisfy the most daring imagination, but Mr. KELSEY was signally outdone by succeeding speakers. They rushed from the question of having a Resident Minister at Rome, into a discussion for which it would be difficult to find a parallel, embodying as it did references, more or less extensive, to Puritanism, Mohammedanism, LEO X., Know-Nothingism, the Old Testament, and Massachusetts witches, and ending with a scene which closely resembled a free fight.

This may be a very exhilarating pastime to the combatants and immediate on-lookers. It is even conceivable that a section of people may exist out of doors to whom Thursday's tilt between Massachusetts and New-York may have afforded a dull sort of gratification. But to the oppressed tax-payer, patiently waiting for relief, to the wearied ship-owner looking for intelligent legislation, to the revenue reformer, to the man of business,—in fact, to every sober and sensible member of the community, such an exhibition must seem a melancholy proof that Congress has, indeed, declined in intelligence as well as in dignity. If the affairs of the nation are to be conducted in a way that would disgrace a fourth-rate debating club, the sooner the country gives up all hope of rational legislation the less liable will it be to subsequent disappointment. There is no way of convincing our representatives that they have talked until everybody is weary of them. But now their days, so far as this session is concerned, are numbered. Will they give up scolding each other and think of the duty they owe to the country?

The Latest Anachronism.

Today there will be a concourse of young men on horseback who choose to call themselves "Knights," and who will endeavor to transplant from the sunny South the military pastime of the Middle Ages. The lists will be set at Prospect Park Fair Grounds, and the presiding lord of the jousts will be the Mayor of Brooklyn—not, perhaps, a perfectly satisfactory substitute for the "Queen of Beauty" who of old incited warriors to deeds of arms. Chivalry has not gone out with coats of mail, and unheroic as the age is by some deemed to be, we can yet show our calendar both of gentle and of daring deeds. "Young Harry with his beaver up, his cuisses on his thighs, gallantly armed," is such a sight as we cannot see again, but ever in Brooklyn it is thought that there is no reason why our youth should not emulate SHAKESPEARE's Prince of Wales in seeking fit "to wind a fiery Pegasus, and witch the world with noble horsemanship."

The usages of the pageant may appear to people of a utilitarian turn of mind like the husks of an extinct symbolism, yet perhaps there may be something in the very semblance of high-toned martial courtesy that is calculated to soften the manners and to elevate the ideal of personal intercourse. The gentlemen from Washington, from Maryland, and Virginia will be pardoned for any slight extravagances they may bring with them, should they succeed in leaving among us a taste for a graceful and healthy out-door pastime, in lieu of everlasting billiards. The revival of the tournament in the New World is rather a striking illustration of Mr. JOHN STUART MILL's theory that there is nothing new, even in the way of amusements, to be discovered, and that mankind henceforth is destined to return to worn-out grooves. The playthings of the Middle Ages are good enough for the enterprising youth of the nineteenth century.

Modern Amazons.

While Mrs. STANTON and her sisterhood are theorizing and disputing, other women are quietly but practically vindicating their equality with men in a sphere where women, since Queen ARTEMISIA, have been rare intruders. Among all the rights for which lady reformers clamor, we have never heard them claim the right to fight. The battle-field is almost the only field which their expanding spirit has not pined to enter. Yet here, too, man may some day have to dispute supremacy with his sister. We all know of Mme. ELIZA LYNCH's warlike exploits in Paraguay; and in our late war there were numerous instances of women, disguised as men, serving in the ranks and fighting with the bravest. One or two even attained to the dignity of shoulder-straps. Hitherto, however, their martial ability has been exhibited only in an executive capacity. They have fought, but they have not organized victory or planned campaigns.

If recent Washington news be true, this last wreath can no longer be denied them. Miss CARROLL, we are told, a respectable lady of Maryland, has presented to Congress a claim for compensation for planning the campaign of the Tennessee River. If the claim should be allowed, it is not easy to see the possible consequences. Women may prepare themselves to assert by force of arms the rights which men will not concede to reason. We shall have a female rebellion, with Miss CARROLL for its LEE, and Miss ANTHONY for its "Stonewall" JACKSON. And, as the ladies have the superiority in numbers, the result is likely to strike terror to the hearts of the oppressors. At the very least, the expanding spirit of womanhood will turn for recreation to the warlike sports in which men take delight. We shall have the right to do militia duty added to the privileges they demand, and Col. FISK's glory will be one day eclipsed when Col. Mrs. STANTON shall march down Broadway at the head of a reorganized Seventh. The "divine Theodora" of Mr. DISRAELI's novel is a type of the coming woman, and it is only to be hoped she will not seek to avenge the wrongs of centuries all at once. Things at present undoubtedly look very awkward for the superseded "lords of creation."

The history of negro emancipation is repeating itself in Cuba,—the Captain-General having issued an order conferring freedom upon the slaves of insurgents, and also upon slaves who have acted as guides to Spanish troops or otherwise aided the Spanish cause. Thus the first official blow at Cuban slavery takes the form of military necessity. That is the beginning of the end, so far as slavery is concerned. By and by the statesman will join the soldier, and Spain will decree emancipation. Even rebellion has its blessings.

There has been a Ministerial crisis in Portugal, and it was settled in a very summary fashion. The particulars will be found among our cable news this morning—but the story may be very briefly told. The Duke of SALDANHA was one of the "outs," and he wanted to be "in." It happened that the troops in Lisbon were on his side. He arranged his plans, and at a given time marched on the castle of St. George, which he took, and then prepared to attack the Royal Palace—which he would have taken, only that the two "armies" fell into each other's arms and embraced, instead of fighting. They shouted "Long live the King," and long live everybody except the obnoxious Ministry. The King came out, and at once entered into the spirit of the thing. SALDANHA was made Minister—and the Duke DE LOULE made the best of a bad job and resigned. He was only appointed to office last August. It is now the Duke DE LOULE's turn to storm the castle and the palace, and compel King LUIS to form a new Ministry in five minutes.

Mr. SCHENCK's announcement of the purpose of the Ways and Means Committee in regard to the reduction of taxes—following close upon the manifestation of a kindred purpose by the Senate Finance Committee—is hailed with satisfaction by the Republican Press. The only drawback to this satisfaction which we have noticed, is that which the TIMES has already indicated. The amount of the reduction proposed is in either case much too small. Neither of the measures goes far enough. "The least reduction which should be made," the Boston *Advertiser* justly says, "is fifty millions." If Congress and the Administration do their duty, that amount will be available for relief; and a year of ordinary prosperity will, after all, leave the Treasury in possession of an ample surplus. The Republicans in Congress will betray their trust if they do not push forward reduction at a more rapid rate.

Sixteen different street sections of the City are to be paved. If all the work were honestly done, we might soon have the reproach removed from New-York of being one of the worst paved cities in the world. Wooden pavement appears to command the situation, and it is to be hoped the unfamiliar Paul National, or the still more mysterious Hamar preserved-wood pavement, with which the furthest extremity of the greatly-abused Fifth-avenue is to be covered, are as well-approved varieties as the better-known Stafford and Nicolson. The use of Belgian pavement for the lower part of the City will be generally commended, while it is to be hoped for the sake of tortured horses and fatigued pedestrians, that the process of relaying will shortly be witnessed outside of the line of First-avenue. But let us have no more "Fisk pavements" under other names.

The Bureau of Statistics sends us, by telegraph from Washington, the gratifying intelligence that American navigation interests are reviving. A new propeller of 1,481 tons has actually applied for registration from this City. Moreover, nine vessels, aggregating 1,883 tons, have applied for registration from Detroit. This is gratifying to our national pride, albeit two out of the nine rate 1,483 tons, leaving a tonnage of 300 tons for the other seven vessels, or an average of forty-five tons. Our emotions of thankfulness for this mosquito fleet—evidently wood barges for the Canada trade—are mingled with those of gratitude to our efficient Bureau of Statistics for thus promptly heralding the revival of American commerce.

The repudiating counties of Iowa have received another notification from Federal authority that the bonds issued in aid of railroads must be paid. The local Courts have done their utmost to shield the repudiators, and the State Legislature has given them encouragement;—still they must pay. In the United States Court at Des Moines, on Wednesday, Judge DILLON told them plainly that the people of the counties and municipalities concerned "must abandon all hope of escape from payment of these bonds." "They must be paid," he added, "and the officers of the Court will be sustained by the power of the Government." That is all right and proper. No State in the Union has been more bountifully assisted by the Government in the construction of its railroads, and none at this moment enjoys greater prosperity. The part it has for some time played as a repudiator is discreditable to its Courts, if not to its people.

A network of connections by which the New-York of the future will be bound to the outlying suburbs, has secured a second line of direction in the final signature of the Staten Island Bridge bill. Day by day the enormous pneumatic pile on which the Brooklyn tower of the East River Bridge is to be built, is being sunk into its place. In a short time the builders of the piled structure which is to be thrown across the shallows to connect by ferry with Staten Island, will be vying with their Long Island rivals in making secure their connection with the Metropolitan center. These are but the first steps in a series of works which will powerfully influence the distribution of population in the Empire City.

Promoters of Land-grant bills now before Congress commit an obvious mistake when they refuse all concessions to members who, though not hostile to the schemes themselves, insist that certain guarantees shall be obtained touching the administration of the lands to be bestowed, and of the railroads they are intended to succor. Where the issue is narrowed down to the point, "grant or no grant," compromise is of course impossible. But there should be a willingness to meet the views of members who merely express the prevalent feeling when they suggest the necessity of checks upon monopoly, consideration toward settlers, and good faith toward the moneyed classes who are relied upon to purchase the bonds. The time is not propitious for high-handed measures.

AMUSEMENTS.

Musical.

"LUCIA" AT THE ACADEMY.

The performance of "Lucia di Lammermoor," last evening, at the Academy, was one of the most curiously uneven to which we have ever listened. Harsh critics might say that none of the chief performers were quite equal to their parts, but such a statement would be only a half truth, and so would convey an impression both inaccurate and ungenerous. The fact is that *Lucia* is, as yet, a little too much for Miss MCCULLOCH; that Signor LE FRANC was in bad voice, and so failed to do that thorough justice to *Edgardo* which ordinarily will lie completely within his splendid powers to do; and that Signor PETRILLI, while taking great pains and deserving much credit, is not dramatic singer enough to give proper effect to *Ashton*. A natural consequence of these several and unlucky incidents was to impart to the representation an incompleteness, and, at intervals, a decided shortcoming, of which the audience were entirely conscious, and of which they were by no means reserved in showing their opinion. This said, we hasten to add that portions of the opera were very excellently sung indeed. This praise is fairly due to a great deal of the second, and to some of the best numbers of the third act. Miss MCCULLOCH was excessively nervous, and we must record the conviction that the manner in which her efforts were received in the first act, by some of the audience, was not quite warranted, and gave rise to the suspicion that artistic merit was not the only gauge by which public demonstrations were in some instances measured and distributed. The young lady has many qualities for success. Her execution is certainly faulty, and she has much to learn; but we have heard worse *Lucias*, and heard them more warmly received by intelligent audiences than was hers on this occasion. Signor LE FRANC was welcomed with the utmost enthusiasm. It was, however, early apparent that he was quite unfit to sing, and an apology made in his behalf after the second act only confirmed the persuasion already generally felt that the favorite tenor was struggling with difficulties he should not have permitted himself to encounter. The sestette in the second act was so well rendered as to elicit vociferous demands for its repetition, which, however, were unheeded. In the malediction Signor LE FRANC broke down, to universal regret and accompanied by universal sympathy. Afterward, and to make the unevenness of the entertainment as finally impressive as possible, the artist, in the last act, recovered his voice in the most unaccountable manner, and sang the aria "Bella Innamorata" with great charm. 'Tis not in singers, more than in any other mortals, to command success, but we must say that the principal performers on this occasion did all they apparently could to deserve it. This afternoon a matinée of "Il Trovatore" is given, with Signor BRIGNOLI and Miss KELLOGG, and on Monday the latter lady, with Signor LE FRANC, will appear in "Il Poliuto."

AMERICAN MUSICAL FUND SOCIETY.

A grand concert is to be given to-night, at the Academy of Music, by the American Musical Fund Society, for the benefit of their widows' and orphans' fund. We trust that the charitable public will not forget or disregard this appeal. In an artistic sense the concert is an admirable one. Among the performers who will assist are Mme. MANZOCCHI, Miss ANNA MEHLIG, Mr. S. B. MILLS, Mr. EDWARD MOLLENHAUER, the Arion Society, a grand orchestra under the direction of Mr. CARL BERGMANN, and Mr. THEODORE THOMAS. The programme includes selections from Cherubini, Von Weber, Liszt, Meyerbeer, Beethoven, Verdi, Rossini, Mollenhauer and Kreutzer. The evening's entertainment has been cleverly arranged, and, on its own merits, should prove highly attractive. We trust the nature of the occasion will supplement this so as to swell the attendance to the utmost capacity of the Academy.

CARLOTTA PATTI.

We are informed that in consequence of fatigue Miss PATTI will not give the farewell concert intended to occur to-night at Steinway Hall. We learn, however, that the lady will to-morrow night participate in a grand sacred concert at the Church of St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception, in Williamsburg, at the corner of Leonard and Remsen streets, of which Rev. JOHN R. MCDONALD is the eloquent and zealous pastor. The object of the concert is to assist in paying off the debt of the church. Miss PATTI will be assisted by the principal members of her troupe

WASHINGTON.

Commissioner Wells and the Manufacturers' Committee—The Majority Surprised by the Minority—Mr. Wells' Report—An Important Report—The New-York Collectorship—Duty on Tin—Miscellaneous.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—The House Committee on Manufactures are in a state of ferment to-night. They have learned, some of them at least, that in their report submitted yesterday, they are literally "Hoist by their own Petard." The fact was developed today that the report of the minority of the Committee is chiefly a sharp and pungent letter from Commissioner WELLS, in which he overturns their arguments and positions with great force and completeness. What renders the thing worse for Mr. MORRELL and his followers, is the fact that the minority report was ordered to be printed with the majority. The scheme of the Committee was to present a report reviewing the report of the Special Commissioner of the Revenue, in which every one who had a grievance against the Special Commissioner, by reason of his recommendation, was to be allowed to make out the best case possible against him. For this purpose all their resources were laid under contribution. The wool manufacturers, under the lead of Mr. JOHN L. HAYES, of Boston, furnished anew the pamphlets issued by them in the early part of last Winter; and the four cotton manufacturers of Boston have also embodied their recent letter denying the accuracy of the statistics of the cotton manufacture presented by the Commissioner, and which he subsequently answered and demolished. In addition to this the report contains a summary of the editorials of the New-York *Tribune* on wool, the positions of pig-iron makers, and various other statements gotten up by different parties in respect to gunny cloth, webbing lumber, and the price of wheat; the whole winding up with the conclusion that the Commissioner was not only entirely wrong in all his statements and calculations, but that he meant to misrepresent and misstate the questions at issue, and had also entirely overstepped the legitimate province of his office. This report has been in course of preparation for a long time, with great secrecy, and it was intended to submit it to the House, and have it printed and circulated without giving the Commissioner or his friends the opportunity to submit any rebutting evidence or explanation whatsoever. But, as "the best laid schemes of mice and men gang aft agley," so this of Messrs. MORRELL, OAKES AMES & Co., unexpectedly came to grief. A portion of the Committee not being willing that the Commissioner should be condemned unheard, secured the privilege of furnishing him with the points of attack, with a note requesting that he would submit such answer to the same as he might think proper. But the whole of the joke has not yet been told. The innocent Mr. MORRELL, and the shrewd Mr. OAKES AMES, did not conceive it possible that the minority of the Committee would attempt anything more than a feeble effort in the way of a protest to what was clearly an *ex-parte* statement, and so when the minority asked the unanimous consent of the House that they might print their statement in connection with those of the majority, the permission was unhesitatingly granted, and the two documents, if circulated at all, will have to be circulated together. As one illustration of the way in which the Commissioner has demolished his adversaries, the case of the article of webbing may be referred to—and this article seems to have been a sort of pet thing with the majority of the Committee, for they enlarge upon it to the extent of several pages, and endeavor to show that the Commissioner, who talked of the reduction of duty on the essential raw materials of our great manufactures, in reality, through ignorance or carelessness, proposed to increase the duty on this particular article to the extent of several hundred per cent. The Commissioner has demolished their whole fabric by simply going to the New-York Custom-house, and taking a copy of the first invoice of webbing imported during the present month. This he presents entire, and leaves every one to see for himself that the duties recommended by him are simply a practical conversion of the present ad valorem into specific rates, and are nothing more; a practical argument from which there can be no escape. So, also, in regard to pig-iron, cotton, wool, lumber, comparative prices of agricultural products, and other matters, the Commissioner brings such a vast amount of additional information as renders his letter to the minority of the Committee on Manufactures second only in importance to the report presented by him at the commencement of the session. Without giving any further details I present herewith the statements of the minority of the Committee, by which the letter of the Commissioner was preceded and followed.

"The minority of the Committee on Manufactures, actuated by an earnest desire that the charges preferred by the petitioners against the Special Commissioner of the Revenue should be fairly examined and discussed, have thought it but simple justice to him to give him the opportunity to make the foregoing statement. In their judgment, enough has been submitted therein to prove that the Commissioner has not been unfaithful to his official trust; that he has not perverted the truth, and that he has not misunderstood the bearing of the present system of tariff and taxation on the industry and development of the country. The Committee, furthermore, cannot conceal from the public their opinion that in all these severe criticisms upon the report of the Special Commissioner of the Revenue, there is something more involved than a question of mere personalities. The true question at issue is not whether the Special Commissioner has understood the cost of the manufacture of pig-iron, the rates of inland freights, the price of gunny-cloth, or decrease of sheep; but they are, rather, shall a burdensome and unprecedented system of taxation upon the whole people and the whole country be maintained, the proceeds of which in great part accrue to special or private interests, and do not flow into the national Treasury for the benefit of the national revenue? and shall the Special Commissioner, for having remonstrated against and exposed the iniquities of such a system, be driven from his office and subjected to reproach and severe public animadversion? Whatever the result of this controversy in respect to the manner in which the Special Commissioner has discharged the duties of his office may be, one thing the minority of the Committee on Manufactures consider certain, and that is, that the right of the citizen to exchange the products of his labor, subject only to the necessary taxation imposed by Government for its legitimate expenses—which right is now denied by our laws—will speedily assert itself. The highest right of property is the right to exchange it for other property. The system which declares that "A" shall trade with "B," and shall not trade with "C," can hardly be distinguished from slavery on any principle. Both systems aim to deprive the individual of a portion of the fruits of his labor without compensation. It is true that the "protective system," so called, promises an individual compensation somewhere in the future, the same as slavery promised the negro his compensation in the world to come. The latter promise was more certain of fulfillment than the former, for it is certain that protection is loss all around; for out of nothing nothing comes. At all events, private rights are infringed by a tariff levied for any other purpose than Government revenue, whatever the pretext may be. The people of a large portion of this country have been so long and so eagerly engaged in looking after other people's rights, that they have almost lost sight of their own. But they are now beginning to inquire to some purpose what has happened to themselves during the past ten years, and the more they investigate this question the more indignant will they become. They will find that certain individuals, many of them conscientious, no doubt, have taken advantage of the crash of arms in which we have so long lived, and from which we have scarcely emerged, to set up a theory that they—these individuals—can spend our money to so much better advantage than we can, that we have no right to inquire what they are doing with it, or whether they are taking too much of it. For example, a duty of over one hundred per cent. is levied upon salt, and if an officer of the Government, or other person, ventures to inquire whether so high a tax is wise, he is denounced as an enemy to American industry, or as the paid agent of foreigners. Furthermore, the tariff, as it is now constituted, is in fact a tax upon exports. Thus, a farmer wishes to buy a barrel of salt; without the tariff he could get it for a bushel of wheat; but when the Government imposes a duty of 100 per cent. on salt it takes two bushels of wheat to pay it. The farmer buys the salt for one bushel of wheat, and is then required to hand the other bushel over to the Government before he can get possession of his own property. If he buys of the home producer of salt, the result is the same so far as the farmer is concerned, he still takes two bushels of wheat to pay for the same quantity of salt. In the one case the Government gets the extra bushel, and in the other case the salt-boiler gets it. But that protects "home industry," says somebody. How does it protect home industry to take an extra bushel of wheat away from the farmer? If he did not give it to the salt-boiler, he would give it to the shoemaker and get a pair of brogans perhaps in exchange for it. By so much, therefore, as the industry of the salt-boiler is encouraged, that of the farmer and the shoemaker is discouraged. Under the so-called "protective system" we have a barrel of salt and a bushel of wheat passed to the credit of home industry. Under the other system we have a barrel of salt, two bushels of wheat and a pair of brogans. The human intellect is always striving to obtain more with less; to get a larger product with a smaller effort; to secure equal results with less industry. The protective system, on the other hand, seeks to promote industry at the expense of the products of industry. The theory of the system is that the less you have to pay for foreign goods the worse you are off. Therefore, if you could get your foreign goods absolutely for nothing you would be ruined. The minority of the Committee do not believe that a thinking, reading people can long be deceived by such absurdities. The business of the country at present is in a state of extreme depression, and there can be no doubt that excessive taxation is the main cause of that depression. A tariff, whether levied simply for one purpose or another, is simply a tax. All taxes are assessments upon the aggregate industry of the country, and it makes no difference, so far as the aggregate result is concerned, whether they are imposed in one way or another. All trade is barter; an exchange of product for product, or service for service. And national boundaries, so far as trade is concerned, are mere imaginary lines. A tariff of forty-nine per cent. is a tax of forty-nine per cent. levied upon the industry and the exports of the country which establishes and maintains it. It is a fearful tax; one almost unprecedented in the history of nations; and the Committee can think of nothing which so strikingly demonstrates the great natural resources and productive powers of our country, as the fact that we have been able to survive it. In behalf of the minority of the Committee on Manufactures the above expression of views is respectfully submitted.

ORESTES CLEVELAND,
JOHN M. RICE.

THE NEW-YORK COLLECTORSHIP.

The statement telegraphed from this city that Senator FENTON and Representative KETCHAM are pressing the name of Ex-Congressman ROBERTSON, of Westchester, for Collector in place of Mr. GRINNELL, has no foundation in fact. There has been more or less gossip here about a change, and Judge ROBERTSON'S name has been incidentally mentioned among others as an eminently fit man for the position; but it has not assumed the shape of a candidacy, and the mention of his name has undoubtedly been without even his knowledge. The hope is expressed here, however, that the Administration may be enabled to utilize his wide influence and rare executive ability in some position which shall strengthen the organization, and improve the discipline of the Republican Party of the State of New-York.

FISK-GOULD'S WITNESS FEES.

In February last the Sergeant-at-Arms of the House sent on blank receipts to Messrs. JAY GOULD and FISK, Jr., for $61 each, the amount of witness expenses incurred by them in coming to Washington to testify in the gold conspiracy case. Mr. FISK and Mr. GOULD ask the Sergeant-at-Arms to give the money to the poor of the city, or to some charitable institution. Today Mr. ORDWAY disposed of the money by handing it over to the Soldiers' Orphan Asylum, in consideration of the fact that one of the donors had recently joined the military service.

THE BARNSTABLE BREAKWATER PROJECT.

The Committee on Commerce of the House had a further consideration of the Barnstable Bay Breakwater project this morning, but arrived at no definite conclusion in reference to appropriating money to begin the work. The Committee are, however, satisfied that the building of the ship-canal would be of great national importance, and are willing to report a resolution pledging the Government to build the breakwater on the completion of the canal. The matter has not yet been finally disposed of, and it is not improbable that more favorable action may be taken by the Committee.

OUR COMMERCE.

The question of American commerce and American tonnage will be again considered to-morrow morning, by the Joint Committee on Commerce of both Houses, when several prominent ship-builders will be heard. The Committee will probably report in favor of sustaining the main features of Mr. LYNCH'S bill.

FINAL ADJOURNMENT.

The Senate today passed the House resolution of adjournment with an amendment, fixing it at the 15th of July, which the House immediately concurred in, and the date is therefore definitely fixed, and both Houses will work up to it. The remainder of the session will witness some sharp work.

THE INCOME TAX.

In the Ways and Means Committee, Messrs. KELLEY and MCCARTHY opposed the Income tax in toto, but offered a compromise of three per cent. and two thousand dollars exemption, which failed. Mr. KELLEY and Mr. MCCARTHY then gave notice that they would oppose the tax in the House.

THE DUTY ON FUR.

Several importers of and dealers in furs from New-York and Philadelphia, had interviews today with the President and Secretary BOUTWELL in reference to the duties on fur. They complain that angora skins are appraised as mats at twenty cents, and that the Custom-house officials have notified them that in future they will appraise at forty-five cents. The President has referred the subject to the Secretary of the Treasury.

PERSONAL.

Among the prominent New-Yorkers in the city are Gen. JOHN COCHRANE, Chairman of the Republican General Committee, and Gen. GEO. H. SHARPE, United States Marshal.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

A CABINET MEETING.

A special Cabinet meeting was held today, but Secretaries FISH and ROBESON were not present. Assistant Secretary DAVIS represented the State Department. Mr. ROBESON went to Annapolis this morning.

BILL SIGNED.

The President informed the House by a message today that he has signed the bill incorporating a company to erect a new market-house on the site of the present rude structure on Pennsylvania-avenue, at a cost of $1,000,000.

FRENCH SPOLIATION.

It is understood that the Senate will soon take action on Mr. SUMNER'S French Spoliation bill, and, in view thereof, the claimants in all sections of the country are now earnestly engaged with memorials and letters to their Senators, soliciting their support to the bill. The bill provides that the Board of Commissioners shall audit the claims within three years, and their awards, to the extent of five millions of dollars pro rata, shall be paid whenever Congress shall make an appropriation therefor. The claimants say, in this simple form such a bill would not conflict with any public measure now pending in Congress.

NEW AMERICAN VESSELS.

Among the applications for official numbers for new American vessels, received at the Bureau of Statistics today, are the following:

New-York, one screw propeller of 1,492 tons; Detroit, nine vessels aggregating 1,982 tons, including one propeller of 880 tons, and another vessel of 743 tons; Waldoborough, 824 tons. The increasing number of applications for registry indicate that our navigation interests are reviving.

NOMINATIONS.

The following nominations were sent in today: JACOB F. STOCK, of Minnesota, to be principal clerk of private land claims in the General Land-office. ANDREW AKIN, of Kansas, to be Register of the Land-office for the Arkansas District, Kansas. W. A. SHANNON, to be Receiver of Public Moneys for the same district.

CONFIRMATIONS.

The Senate in Executive Session today confirmed the following nominations:

Mr. E. P. JACOBS, to be District-Attorney of the Southern District of Mississippi; Mr. GEO. W. DENT, Appraiser of Merchandise at San Francisco, Cal.; Mr. GEO. W. BATCHELDOR, Secretary of the Territory of Dakota; Mr. JESSE MOORE, Postmaster at Owensborough, Ky.; Mr. P. B. HAWKINS, Postmaster at Bowling Green, Ky.

German-American School Association.

The General Committee of the German-American School Association of this City held a regular monthly meeting at Liederkranz Hall, Nos. 34 to 36 East Fourth-street, last evening, Mr. WILLY WALLACH presiding. It was resolved to present by a committee a memorial to the Board of Education with regard to the introduction of German as a regular branch of instruction in the public schools of the several wards. A report was made by a committee appointed for this purpose with regard to the Children's Aid Society of this City, showing its activity and usefulness, and it was resolved to apply to the Government of this City for an adequate support of that noble Society. The meeting then adjourned.

DECORATION DAY.

Preparations of the General Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic.

The General Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic met last evening at the head-quarters, No. 21 Union-square, to make preparations for the memorial services on Decoration Day, the 30th inst.

Gen. DUGANNE presided and Cols. FORBES and TREGASKIS acted as Secretaries.

The Committee on Speakers reported that Gen. J. B. MCKEAN had accepted the invitation to deliver the oration at Cypress Hills. The invitations to chaplains were referred to the Committee on Speakers.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That all friends in any way interested in perpetuating the memories of those who upon land and sea gave their lives for the preservation of the Union, are cordially invited to attend with us.

Resolved, That floral contributions are earnestly solicited from the various schools and churches, and from citizens in general.

On motion of Col. MARSHALL the ladies of New-York were invited to co-operate with the Floral Committee in procuring flowers to be strewn over the graves.

Col. MUSGROVE, of Brooklyn, reported the progress of preparations in Brooklyn. He remarked that a number of Brooklyn ladies had held a meeting, and appointed a committee to strew the flowers over the graves.

Col. F. M. PATRICK observed that he had an interview with Col. FISK the previous day, and that he expressed himself to the effect that he would feel pleasure in giving all the assistance he could in procuring transportation for the children from the Union Home, corner of One Hundred and Fifty-first-street and Eleventh-avenue, to Cypress Hills. The Committee on Dress reported that the officers and members of the Grand Marshal's staff were to appear in black dress and fatigue cap, and the remainder of the processionists would be allowed to choose their own dress.

Woman Suffrage—The City and County Association.

The ladies connected with the New-York City and County Suffrage Association, held their regular weekly meeting yesterday afternoon, at the private residence No. 267 West Thirty-fourth-street. As these meetings are intended for informal conversation and unrestricted debate, it has been decided that only ladies shall be permitted to attend them. The members were therefore much surprised, when assembling, to find two gentlemen awaiting their appearance, (one a reporter,) who asked to be allowed to remain. The ladies made an exception in this case, but declared that hereafter gentlemen would not be admitted. The first business in order was the appointing of a committee to confer with Mr. TILTON and obtain his official statement as to the extent to which the Union Suffrage Society will unite with the City and County Association to secure an eligible suite of rooms opposite Union-square for the use of the combined organizations. The announcement was made that Miss S. B. ANTHONY had sold the *Revolution* to Mrs. BULLARD, of Brooklyn, Mrs. "Jenny June" CROLEY to become working editor, and Messrs. TILTON and STUDWELL stockholders of the concern.

The question, "What effect will suffrage have upon woman as an individual?" was proposed and accepted for next week's discussion.

A lady said the reason gentlemen were not willing women should have the suffrage, was that the majority always rule, and there being a large surplus of women, men would be annihilated as candidates for office.

A discussion ensued as to the capability of women to work in many fields of labor from which they are now excluded.

One member thought a woman was as capable to superintend a public park as a man to do the business of a dressmaker, and referred to a large establishment on Sixth-avenue, where 100 female clerks are employed, and sixty young cash girls. She thought if the merchants generally throughout the City would follow the same plan, there would be fewer girls in the street to be arrested by policemen, and less need of charities and corrections and an item of expenditure would be saved to the City Government.

A gentleman made a short address, in which he spoke of the present favorable state of woman suffrage in France, his knowledge being obtained from correspondence with Mme. LEROUX. Referring to the French Revolution, he said it was sustained by women—Mme. ROLAND being the noblest character who suffered. The Empress EUGENIE has more influence over the French people to keep them in check than the Emperor, who, he said, was a bad man. He was in declining health, and the sooner he died the better for the cause of civil and religious liberty.

The meeting adjourned to meet on Friday, at 3 P. M., at the same place.

A Daring Attempt at Burglary.

A daring attempt at burglary was discovered yesterday after those engaged in it had escaped. The strong-room of SIMPSON, the pawnbroker, at the corner of Delancey-street and the Bowery, contains a large amount in value of diamonds, jewelry, and watches. Some weeks ago a man and woman, whose names have not been ascertained, hired the second-floor room of No. 3 Delancey-street, and yesterday they left abruptly for reasons not yet ascertained. Upon examining the premises after their departure it was found that they had cut through two party walls a hole through which a person could easily pass, through which some one evidently had passed under the stairway leading between Nos. 3 and 5 Delancey-street to the lodge-rooms on the upper floors of Nos. 1 and 3, and underneath which they could work upon the rear of SIMPSON'S vault, which is at the rear of his pawn-shop. This vault is of masonry, and some one had plainly been at work upon it, as some of the cement was chipped, but at this moment, for some cause not explained, the toilers abandoned the enterprise.

Resisting a Deputy Marshal.

Two sailors, giving their names as JOHN BROWN and ANDREW SMITH, were arrested, yesterday afternoon, on a charge of obstructing Deputy Marshal ALLEN while in the discharge of his duty. It appeared that the latter took a seaman into custody on a charge of smuggling, and was passing with him through Hamilton-street, when he made his escape, running into a boarding-house in the vicinity. The officer pursued him and endeavored to re-arrest him, but was prevented from so doing by the accused. SMITH was held to bail before Commissioner BETTS, and BROWN was sent to Ludlow-street Jail, in default of the same, to await examination.

Admiral Dahlgren's Tribute to the Late Capt. Williams.

The Boston *Advertiser* publishes the following letter from Rear-Admiral DAHLGREN to Capt. FORBES, of that city:

WASHINGTON, May 13, 1870.

Capt. R. B. Forbes, Boston:

MY DEAR SIR: Your note in relation to the orphan children of Capt. WILLIAMS was received, and I transmit herewith a paper containing the names of officers of the yard who subscribe to the fund for the care of these hapless children. I sincerely trust that sufficient will be raised on the whole to provide fully for them; they have lost a gallant father who served his country with undaunted courage, and never with more honor than when he faced death at his post for the last time.

I knew WILLIAMS well, and he was one of those whom I sent to head the assault on Sumter. Well did he obey that order for a desperate service; he led his men to the top of the breach, and it was his proud distinction to feel with those who followed him that no other feet of Union soldiers or sailors ever trod that ruin while the rebel flag waved over it. He there was made prisoner with the gallant PRESTON, who afterward fell at Fort Fisher, and had the honor of wearing manacles in a rebel prison.

At a later day, when the Union flag was restored to Sumter, I had the satisfaction of sending Capt. WILLIAMS there in command of the naval detachment to represent the navy. The refusal of Capt. WILLIAMS to leave his ship, which he saw sinking, was in effect a resolution to die at his post, and was as heroic and as worthy of commendation as that of the Spartan King who has been honored through ages for his duty at Thermopylæ.

With much regret, yours truly,
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An interesting and valuable letter from our Italian correspondent, "Angelico," about THE NEW STONE PAPER, giving a description of the paper mine in the Mountains of Italy and its workings, and notes on the value of the discovery, and the results of experiments;—

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BARRETT—MAY.—At the residence of A. B. McKinstry, Schultzville, Penn., on Tuesday, May 17, by Rev. J. G. Eckman, HORACE F. BARRETT to KATE N. MAY, both of the above place. No cards.

COREY—LATHAM.—At North Thetford, Vt., on Wednesday morning, May 18, by Rev. Roger S. Howard, of Northfield, Vt., Mr. FRANCIS W. COREY, of Cleveland, Ohio, to Miss JULIA A. LATHAM, of Thetford, Vt. No cards.

KYLE—COPELAND.—On Thursday, May 19, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. Noah H. Schenck, D. D., JOHN J. KYLE to LAURA H., daughter of Chas. W. Copeland, Esq., of Brooklyn, N. Y. No cards.

NICHOLSON—NELSON.—On Thursday evening, May 19, at Christ Church, South Brooklyn, by Rev. W. Bancroft, D. D., J. CLIBBORN NICHOLSON to ZAIDA, second daughter of Theophilus Nelson, all of said place.

DIED.

CARVILLE.—Suddenly, on Wednesday, May 18, at New-Rochelle, CATHARINE SPENCER, wife of J. M. Carville, and daughter of the late Charles A. Clinton. Relatives and friends of the family, and those of her late father, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral on Monday, May 23, at 1 o'clock, from Trinity Church, New-Rochelle, without further invitation. Train leaves New-York and New-Haven Railroad Depot at 11½ A. M. Carriages at depot at New-Rochelle.

CABBLE.—On Friday, May 20, 1870, at 3 o'clock A. M., at his late residence in Grand-st., Williamsburgh, WILLIAM CABBLE, eldest son of Edward and Elizabeth Cabble, of Froome, Somersetshire, England, of disease of the heart, in the 52d year of his age. Future notice will be given of the time of the funeral.

☞ Somerset and Wilts *Journal* please copy.

CAMPBELL.—On Thursday, May 19, MINNIE LAURA, only child of Charles C. and Jeannette E. Campbell, aged 9 years. Funeral services at the residence of her parents, at Metuchen, N. J., on Monday, May 23, at 3 P. M. Cars leave New-York at 1 P. M. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited.

DIKEMAN.—In this City, on Tuesday last, May 17, JOHN A., son of William E. Dikeman, of Washington, D. C., aged 25 years. Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral from St. Andrew's Church, 127th-st., Harlem, on Saturday, the 21st inst., at 2 o'clock.

HOLT.—On Thursday afternoon, May 19, LYDIA OWEN, widow of the late Perley Holt, in the [illegible] year of her age. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral on Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from her late residence, No. [illegible] East 10th-st.

KISSAM.—On Thursday, May 19, SAMUEL HAMILTON, infant son of Samuel H. and Sarah J. Kissam, aged 1 month and 3 days. Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral from the residence of his parents, No. 6 Carroll Park, Brooklyn, on Saturday, at 3 P. M.

O'NEILL.—MATTIE L., youngest daughter of Henry O'Neill, aged 8 years and 7 months. The friends and relatives of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral from the residence of her father, No. 125 West 20th-st., on Saturday, May 21, at 9 A. M. Remains will be taken to Bronxville.

ROBINS.—On Wednesday, May 18, EMIL A. ROBINS. Funeral services will take place on Saturday, May 21, from the residence of his uncle, John S. McGinnes, No. 221 [illegible], Brooklyn, at 11 A. M. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend. Remains will be interred in Green-Wood Cemetery.

SINCLAIR.—On Thursday, May 19, CORNELIA AUGUSTA SINCLAIR, widow of Wm. J. Sinclair, of this City, and daughter of the late Thomas Handy, of Newport, R. I. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral from Trinity Chapel, West 25th-st., on Saturday, the 21st inst., at 1 o'clock.

☞ Newport, R. I., and Charleston, S. C., papers please copy.

SMITH.—On Friday, May 20, MAY TYLER, daughter of Isaac T. and Elizabeth F. Smith, aged 15 years and 11 months. The funeral will take place from her father's residence, No. 259 West 22d-st., on Monday, May 23, at 10 A. M.

SECOR.—At Munich, Bavaria, on Sunday, April 10, LYDIA S. SECOR, wife of Charles A. Secor. The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral services from Zion Church, Madison-av. and 38th-st., on Monday, May 23, at 10½ o'clock A. M. The remains will be interred in the family vault, Marble Cemetery, 2d-st.

STEWART.—On Thursday afternoon, May 19, ELIZABETH, relict of the late William Stewart, in the 85th year of her age. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral on Sunday afternoon, at 1½ o'clock, from her late residence, No. 126 Orchard-st.

TROWARD.—In Brooklyn, on Wednesday, May 18, CHARLES TROWARD, minister of the Gospel, in the 73d year of his age. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, No. 209 Franklin-av., at 3 o'clock P. M., on Saturday, May 21.

WHITLOCK.—In Brooklyn, on Wednesday, May 18, of pneumonia, NOAH STODDARD WHITLOCK, aged 65 years, 1 month and 10 days. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the Elm-place Congregational Church, at 1½ o'clock, on Sunday afternoon.

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[illegible]	40,000
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[illegible]	32,500
[illegible]	1,000
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[illegible]	525
[illegible]	28,000
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The extension of the Northern New-Jersey Railroad, just finished, in addition to the magnificent steam-boat accommodations, renders Nyack one of the most convenient as well as delightful suburbs of New-York. Further particulars of MALLORY & BLACKWELL, No. 35 Liberty-st., New-York.

MAKE A MEMORANDUM OF THIS. 647 EIGHTH WARD (BROOKLYN) LOTS, (ABRAHAM VANDERVOORT'S FARM.) Must all be sold at 12 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, May 25, at the City Sales-room, Brooklyn. BY ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT. Maps ready at the office of the auctioneers, JOHNSON & MILLER, No. 25 Nassau-st., New-York.

DWELLINGS TO LET.

New Ready: TO LET OR FOR SALE, TERMS TO SUIT, THOSE HANDSOME NEW COTTAGES, AT THE STATION, RUTHERFURD PARK, 25 MINUTES BY ERIE R. R. PALACE CARS. NO MUD.

"A man may have a little domestic heaven of his own, with healthful, fresh air, and plenty of romping-ground for the little ones. * * * We hope they will prove the beginning of a new system of comfortable houses for the middle classes."—*Paterson Guardian.*

Apply to the owner, THOS. E. AGNEW, No. 260 Greenwich-st., corner Murray, New-York.

CLASSON POINT.—THE ELEGANT MANsion of Mr. Monnet, at Classon Point, completely furnished, with five, ten, or more acres of ground; large garden, abundance of fruits, shade trees, &c., and one of the finest lawns in the country, running to the water edge; abundant stable and coach-house accommodations, &c.; the dwelling has all the modern improvements, including gas, stationary wash-tubs, &c. To rent to a private family for one, two, or three years, at $2,500 per annum. Inquire of HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

TO LET—RYE, ON THE SOUND, NEAR the Cliff House, a cottage of nine rooms, furnished, stable and garden; the bathing beach is within a few rods, and the look-out on the Sound is one of the finest; all water amusements are there; the place is healthy itself, and no mosquitoes; the advertiser has occupied the cottage adjoining for nine Summers, and knows whereof he affirms; the cottage is sufficiently near the Cliff House for a family to board there, who might desire to escape house-keeping for a few months. JOSEPH F. PIERSON, No. 11 Wall-st.

TO RENT—FURNISHED, A LARGE DWELLing-house with modern improvements and three acres of land, in Cornwall, near the short cut, Erie Railroad Depot, two hours from the City; beautiful situation; mountain air; fine shade and ornamental trees; plenty of fruit and water; ice-house filled, and garden planted; will be rented to 1st October for $1,000. Inquire of E. H. LUDLOW, or GEORGE E. WOODWARD, No. 191 Broadway, New-York.

TO LET—A FINE COUNTRY-SEAT AT Saltersville, N. J.; twenty minutes from New-York; commodious house, thirteen rooms; gardener's house, eight rooms; all necessary out-buildings complete; six acres beautifully adorned; water and inland views: New-York Bay, Narrows, New-York City, Brooklyn, Staten Island, &c.; three minutes' walk from depot; $1,500 per annum. Apply to MALLORY & BLACKWELL, No. 35 Liberty-st., New-York.

TO LET—A NEW HOUSE AT SPUYTEN Duyvil, neatly furnished, nine rooms, with bath, furnace, and all modern improvements; pasture for cow, with carriage-house and stable, with stalls, for five horses; $1,200 to May 1, 1871; immediate possession. Inquire at Office Pennsylvania Coal Company, No. 111 Broadway.

HOUSES WITH ALL MODERN IMprovements to let at Washington Heights, on the Hudson, furnished or unfurnished, at very low rents. Apply to EUGENE MURRAY, on the premises, foot of 161st-st., North River, or to H. L. HOGUET, No. 112 Duane-st.

TO LET IN STRATFORD, CONN.—A furnished house with barn and planted garden, within eight minutes' walk from depot; churches, schools, and Housatonic River. For particulars apply to WM. A. LEWIS, on the premises, or to L. C. BOOTH, No. 206 Church-st., City.

TO LET—$2,500 ONLY—ON 5TH-AV., AN elegant four-story brown-stone house, perfectly new, opposite Central Park, to a responsible private family, for the above moderate rent. BARKER & COSTER, Room No. 6 New Herald Building.

TO LET—FURNISHED, AT SOMERVILLE, N. J., on the Central Railroad, five minutes' walk from the station, a pleasantly-situated dwelling-house, with large garden and abundance of fruit; rent $175 per month. Address C. W., Box No. 2,059 Post-office, New-York.

ELM PARK, STATEN ISLAND.—PEREMPTORY sale of 445 splendid lots, by order of Daniel Low, Esq., next MONDAY. Be sure and go. Send for maps to JOHNSON & MILLER, No. 25 Nassau-st., New-York.

TO LET—A SPLENDID NEW HOUSE, ALL modern; six miles from New-York, in New-Jersey, fine grounds; good view of the Bay. Apply to E. H. HINE, No. 561 8th-av., or at No. 18 South William-st.

ORANGE, N. J.—SEVERAL ELEGANT, desirably-located residences for rent, fully furnished, (or unfurnished,) fifty-five minutes from New-York. Apply to HAMILTON & WALLIS, No. 3 Nassau-st., corner of Pine, New-York.

TO LET, AT MONTCLAIR, N. J.—A handsomely-furnished cottage-house, nine rooms, for the Summer or year; immediate possession. Apply to W. H. HARRIS & CO., real estate agents, adjoining depot, Montclair.

A VERY LARGE FIRST-CLASS HIGH-stoop brown-stone dwelling, in 18th-st., between 5th and 6th avs., to let; in splendid order; immediate possession. STANLEY DAY, No. 111 Broadway.

YONKERS.—TO LET—FURNISHED (SPLENdidly) French-roof cottage; nine rooms, gas, heater, river views, &c., cheap; only $800. Apply to J. YOUMANS, Yonkers.

TO LET—AT CARMANSVILLE, ON 152D-ST. and 11th-av., a large dwelling-house, in perfect order, with all modern improvements. Inquire of E. C. COMBES, No. 170 Broadway, basement.

COUNTRY RESIDENCE AND FARM for sale at Glen Cove, L. I.; 100 acres, good house and out-buildings. Apply to EDWARD SIMPSON, No. 167 Front-st.

STORES, &C., TO LET.

NINTH NATIONAL BANK. NEW BUILDING, NOS. 407 AND 409 BROADWAY.

ELEGANT OFFICES TO LET.

High ceilings, heated by steam; splendidly lighted and ventilated.

Plans at E. H. LUDLOW & CO'S., No. 3 Pine-st., Or at the Bank.

OFFICES TO LET, IN TIMES BUILDING.

Fine, handsome offices on second and third floors. Inquire of GEORGE JONES, Times Office.

HUNDREDS ARE GOING DOWN THE BAY Next MONDAY to attend JOHNSON & MILLER'S great sale at ELM PARK, Staten Island. Sale peremptory. Maps at Johnson & Miller's, No. 25 Nassau-st.

LOTS TO LEASE FOR TWENTY-ONE years, with renewal, desirably located on 44th-st., between Broadway, 7th and 8th avs. Apply to WILLIAM & E. A. CRUIKSHANK, Nos. 1,328 Broadway and 566 6th-av.

STORES TO LET.—NO. 73 MAIDEN-LANE, lofts; also, Nos. 5 and 6 Atlantic Dock; fronting East River. Apply to W. H. SCHIEFFELIN & CO., No. 170 William-st.

STUDIOS TO LET—IN BUILDING NO. 1,267 Broadway. Apply on the premises.

DESK-ROOM TO LET IN NO. 5 BEEKman-st., Room No. 7, first floor.

HOUSES & ROOMS WANTED.

MECHANICS, IF YOU WANT TO SECURE HOMES within forty-five minutes of the City, go to ELM PARK, Staten Island, with JOHNSON & MILLER next MONDAY. Maps of the property at Johnson & Miller's, No. 25 Nassau-st.

MEDICAL.

$1,000 REWARD

For any case of Blind, Bleeding or Itching PILES that DE BING'S PILE REMEDY fails to cure. It has cured cases of twenty years' standing. Try it, and get rid of the most troublesome disease flesh is heir to. Sold by all druggists. Wholesale by JOHN HENRY, New-York.

A PHYSIOLOGICAL VIEW OF MARriage—Containing nearly 300 pages and 130 fine plates and engravings of the anatomy of the sexual organs in a state of health and disease, with a treatise on self-abuse, its deplorable consequences upon the mind and body, with the author's plan of treatment—the only rational and successful mode of cure, as shown by the report of cases treated. A truthful adviser of the married and those contemplating marriage, who entertain doubts of their physical condition. Sent free of postage, to any address on receipt of 25 cents in specie or postage stamps. Address DR. LA CROIX, No. 31 Maiden-lane, Albany, N. Y.

DR. HUNTER, NO. 56 BOND-ST., one door from Bowery, (40 years at No. 3 Division-st.,) cures worst cases of private diseases, without mercury, in shorter time than any other physician or no charge. Manhood restored and nervous debility cured in one week, by DR. HUNTER'S Botanic Cordial; $5 a pint.

MARVELOUS DISCOVERY.—SCROFULA in every form positively eradicated from the system without poisonous medicine, by Dr. N. L. WRIGHT, No. 21 West 11th-st., New-York.

A SUCCESSFUL PRACTICE OF FORTY years in the treatment of special diseases enables DR. LEWIS to guarantee a perfect cure to the afflicted, when all others have failed. Office No. 7 Beach-st.

THE MOST CELEBRATED PHYSICIAN in the City for the cure of nervous debility and private diseases is Dr. LEWIS, No. 7 Beach-st.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

EXECUTORS' SALE.

V. K. STEVENSON, SON & CO., E. F. FAIRCHILD, Auctioneer, will sell at auction on WEDNESDAY, June 1, 1870, at 12 M., at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, by order of the executors of Isaac Dyckman, deceased, nearly

ONE HUNDRED ACRES IN UPWARD OF ONE THOUSAND LOTS ON BROADWAY, HARLEM RIVER, 9TH and 10TH AVS., 200TH to 213TH STS., inclusive, and other contiguous streets and avenues, part of THE DYCKMAN HOMESTEAD.

This splendid property is admirably located and adapted to immediate improvement. The streets and avenues through it have been permanently established by law.

IT IS NEW-YORK CITY PROPERTY.

There is no better place to make investments.

The rapid growth of the City makes it doubtful if so magnificent a chance will ever again be offered to buyers for permanent or speculative investments.

Sale positive, title indisputable, sixty per cent. on bond and mortgage.

Examine the property. Do not lose the chance and repent too late.

For maps and descriptive pamphlets, with terms of sale and directions to reach the property, apply to the auctioneers, No. 11 Pine-st., or to LOCKWOOD & CROSBY, counsel for the executors, No. 133 Nassau-st.

J. JOHNSON, Jr., Auctioneer.

BY JOHNSON & MILLER, AUCTIONeers and Real Estate Brokers, No. 25 Nassau-st., corner of Cedar, New-York. WEDNESDAY, May 25, At 12 o'clock, at the City Sales-room, (Phenix Building,) No. 16 Court-st., Brooklyn, GREAT PARTITION SALE, BY ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT, OF THE ABRAHAM VANDERVOORT ESTATE, Consisting of SIX HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVEN CHOICE LOTS, Located in the EIGHTEENTH WARD, BROOKLYN. GEO. H. FISHER, Esq., Referee. Messrs. S. M. & D. E. MEEKER, Attorneys.

The attention of capitalists, speculators and investors is called to this sale, which will embrace the largest number of lots ever offered on one day in the City of Brooklyn. The property is splendidly situated, in the most thriving and growing part of the city, on Flushing, Evergreen, Central, Johnson and Knickerbocker avs., Myrtle, Starr, Madison, Jefferson, Cooper and George sts.

The lots will be sold singly and in small parcels, in order to afford an opportunity for all to purchase.

Terms—Sixty per cent. of the purchase money may remain on bond and mortgage.

For description of property see map. For book maps and further particulars apply to Messrs. S. M. & D. E. MEEKER, Attorneys, No. 30 Broadway, Brooklyn; GEORGE H. FISHER, Esq., Referee, No. 27 Broadway, Brooklyn, or to the Auctioneers, JOHNSON & MILLER, No. 25 Nassau-st., New-York, and No. 157 Montague-st., Brooklyn.

O. H. PIERSON, Auctioneer.

BY A. D. MELLICK, JR., & CO., auctioneers and dealers in New-Jersey real estate, No. 6 Pine-st., New-York.

WEDNESDAY, May 25, at 1 P. M., on the premises, partition sale by order of the Union County Orphan's Court, of the homestead farm of Jas. H. Clark, deceased, containing ninety acres, and situated at ROSELLE, N. J.

Forty-five minutes from New-York by the Central Railroad of New-Jersey. This property will be sold in two plots, of forty-five acres each. On one is a dwelling containing twelve rooms, with the usual out-buildings.

Sixty per cent. may remain on bond and mortgage.

Parties wishing to attend the sale will take the 12 M. train from the foot of Liberty-st.

For maps and particulars apply to the office of the auctioneers, No. 6 Pine-st.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR WROUGHT AND CAST-IRON WORK FOR THE POST-OFFICE AND COURT-HOUSE, NEW-YORK CITY.

POST-OFFICE AND COURT-HOUSE, NEW-YORK CITY, OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, May 5, 1870.

WROUGHT AND CAST-IRON WORK.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent until 12 o'clock M., 28th of May, 1870, for furnishing, delivering, fitting, and putting in place the cast and wrought-iron work exhibited in plans and schedules now in this office, consisting of cast-iron columns, bed-plates, &c., and wrought-iron beams, girders, &c.

All of the castings must be sound, smooth, and straight, cast true, and free from flaws or defects of any kind, and of the best quality of pig-metal, and of the number and weights shown by the schedules and drawings. Castings must not weigh less than the schedule weight, and no surplus weight will be paid for, nor will any castings of less section, or varying in any respect from the requirements of the drawings, be accepted.

All bearings of columns, bases, plates, &c., must be planed or turned perfectly true, all bolt-holes drilled, and the entire work cleaned off and finished in a first-class manner.

The beams and girders must be of the manufacture of the Wadsworth, Phenix or Pittsburg Union Iron Works, Cooper & Hewitt, or of other American manufacture equal thereto, and must be of the sizes and weights called for in the schedules, and be the best wrought-iron; they will be straight and sound, in all respects of first quality.

All beams set on brick-work must rest on cast-iron bed-plates of the dimensions and numbers required by the specifications and schedules.

All necessary bolts, wedges, ties, angle-irons, anchors, sheet-lead or other materials necessary to put the work together in the best manner and deliver it to the stone or brick walls will be furnished by the contractor, who will put the entire work together and in place, to the complete satisfaction of the Superintendent, and as required by him.

The girders will be put together with bolts and steel wedges, as shown by drawings, and they, together with all beams and castings, will be tested by the Superintendent, and if found defective in any particular, will be rejected.

The contractors will be permitted the use of the derricks and engines, in putting the work in place, without charge, but will be required to pay the cost of the men employed in working them, who will be furnished by the Department when required; scaffolding to be furnished by the contractors.

Proposals will be made by the piece for the various castings and beams, which will include the wedges, bolts, angle-irons, clamps, ties, anchors, or other metal work necessary to fit and put the work in place, whether mentioned in drawings or schedules or not.

The work must be furnished, delivered, fitted, and put in place complete, within three months after date of written notice to commence the work.

The work will not be subdivided among different bidders, but will be considered in the aggregate.

The schedules will be used in identifying the material and making the payments, which will be made monthly, deducting ten per cent. until the final completion of the contract.

All bids must be accompanied by a penal bond, in the sum of fifty thousand ($50,000) dollars, that the bidder will accept and perform the contract, if awarded him, the sufficiency of the security to be certified to by the District-Attorney of the district where he resides.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all bids, if it be deemed for the interest of the Government to do so; and any bid that is not made on the printed form to be obtained in this office, and does not conform in every respect to the requirements of this advertisement, will not be considered, neither will any proposals be received from any parties who are not themselves engaged in the manufacture of cast or wrought-iron work, and who have not the necessary facilities for getting out the castings or rolled beams.

Proposals will be indorsed "Bids for Iron Work," and addressed to CALVIN T. HULBURD, Superintendent.

OFFICE OF PURCHASING AND DISBURSING PAY-MASTER U. S. NAVY, No. 29 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, May 20, 1870.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INdorsed on envelope "Bids for Transportation Advertised," will be received at this office until 1 o'clock, the 28th inst., for the transportation hence, under deck, of the following machinery, to be delivered under the derrick at the Navy-yard, Mare Island, Cal. The bids must be for a total sum, and not by the ton or pound. The machinery will be delivered alongside.

BUREAU STEAM ENGINEERING.

Two (2) large Planing-machines, one (1) large Lathe. The dimensions and weights are as follows:

2 pieces each 38 ft. long, 10 in. wide, 36 in. deep.

2 pieces each 30 ft. long, 36 in. wide, 24 in. deep.

The remaining pieces are of promiscuous smaller sizes, some in boxes and others loose.

The weight of each Planing-machine is about 88,000 lbs., or a total of 176,000 lbs. Weight of Lathe about 207,000 lbs.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids that may not be deemed advantageous to the Government, and to award each article or item separate, as may be most to its interest. Responsible security required for the prompt and faithful delivery of supplies awarded within the time specified. Blank forms will be furnished at this office, and bids opened at the hour above named, when parties interested are invited to be present.

J. O. BRADFORD, Pay-master U. S. N.

DIVIDENDS.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE AMERICAN MERCHANTS' UNION EXPRESS CO., No. 113 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, May 18, 1870.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF this Company, at their regular quarterly meeting, held this day, have declared a semi-annual Dividend of Three per Cent. on its outstanding capital stock, payable July 15, 1870, out of its net earnings prior to the 1st inst.

The transfer-books will be closed on the 20th day of June next, at 3 o'clock P. M., and reopened at 10 o'clock A. M., on the 16th day of July next. J. N. KNAPP, Secretary.

OHIO AND MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY COMPANY, OFFICE NO. 56 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, May 16, 1870.

THE SEMI-ANNUAL INTEREST, due June 1, 1870, on the preferred stock of the Ohio and Mississippi Railway Company, will be paid on and after that date at the office of the Company, No. 56 Wall-st., New-York. The transfer books of the preferred stock will be closed on May 21 at 3 o'clock P. M., and reopened on June 1 at 10 o'clock A. M. By order of the Executive and Finance Committee. E. D. HAMMOND, Secretary.

OFFICE BROADWAY AND SEVENTH-AVENUE R. R. CO., CORNER 51ST-ST. AND 7TH-AV., NEW-YORK, May 20, 1870.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD of Directors of the Broadway and Seventh-avenue Railroad Company, held this day, it was resolved that a dividend of $3 per share be paid to stockholders on June 1. The transfer-books will be closed from May 20 to June 1. JOHN KERR, President.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE NEW-YORK PRODUCE EXCHANGE have THIS DAY declared an annual Dividend of Seven per Cent., payable at the office of EDWARD CROMWELL, Treasurer, No. 123 Broad-st., on and after June 15. The transfer-books will be closed until that time. By order of the Board. STEPHEN W. CAREY, Secretary.

CLOTHING.

GENTLEMEN HAVING ANY CAST-OFF clothing to dispose of can get a fair price by calling on or addressing JAMES KILFATRICK, No. 486 Pearl-st., near Chatham-st.

REMOVAL.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

Office of the Commissioners of Quarantine removed to No. 3 Exchange Court, Exchange-place, between Broadway and New-st. Room No. 2, second floor.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

O. H. PIERSON, Auctioneer.

BY A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO., AUCTIONEERS AND DEALERS IN NEW-JERSEY REAL ESTATE. Tuesday, May 24, 1870. At 1 P. M., on the premises, Trustees' sale of fifty very desirable town lots at CRANFORD, N. J., forty-five minutes from New-York by the Central Railroad of New-Jersey.

The lots are among the most desirable in the town, situated three minutes' walk from the station, on established streets and in the midst of improvements.

These lots will be absolutely sold without reserve.

There will also be offered a new French roofed residence, with nine rooms and lot 150 feet square.

Should the day prove stormy, sale will take place on 26th inst., at same hour. Special train at 12 M. from foot of Liberty-st. Collation on arrival of train.

For maps, passes and full particulars, apply at the office of the auctioneers, NO. 6 PINE-ST., NEW-YORK.

E. A. LAWRENCE, Auctioneer.

BY LAWRENCE, OAKLEY & FLEURY, AUCTIONEERS AND REAL ESTATE AGENTS AND BROKERS, No. 10 Pine-st., New-York. City and Country Real Estate, Houses, Lots and Farms, at public or private sale, leased, rented or exchanged. Loans negotiated.

On SATURDAY, May 21, 1870, At 12 o'clock, at Mrs. Hewlett's Hotel, Hempstead Village, Queens County, L. I., GREAT PEREMPTORY SALE AT AUCTION OF SPLENDIDLY SITUATED BUILDING PLOTS AND LOTS.

By order of the Supreme Court, under the direction of D. P. Ingraham, Jr., Referee, the ESTATE OF SARAH THORNE, deceased, Comprising about Forty-two acres, beautifully located in different parts of the flourishing and attractive village of HEMPSTEAD, L. I.

And handsomely mapped and subdivided (by Chas. H. Haswell, Esq., Civil Engineer,) into most desirable plots of from one-half to two acres each. Will be peremptorily sold as above.

To reach property, take Long Island Railroad cars at Hunter's Point. Eight trains daily.

Maps and particulars at Auctioneers' Office, No. 10 Pine-st.

FINANCIAL.

H. H. BOODY. D. A. BOODY. H. P. BOODY.

HENRY H. BOODY & CO., Bankers AND Railway Agents, No 12 Wall-st., New-York.

Make Collections, pay Coupons and Dividends, Buy and Sell Governments, Railway Bonds, and other Securities on Commission.

PARTICULAR ATTENTION GIVEN TO THE NEGOTIATION OF RAILWAY AND OTHER CORPORATE LOANS.

N. B.—Interest allowed on deposits.

New-York, May 2, 1870.

1st Mortgage 8 PER CENT. GOLD BONDS, Indorsed by the State of Alabama, FOR SALE ON FAVORABLE TERMS BY HENRY CLEWS & CO., BANKERS AND FINANCIAL AGENTS FOR THE STATE OF ALABAMA, NO. 32 WALL-ST.

FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS, Indorsed by the State of Georgia, Bearing Seven Per Cent. Interest in Currency.

A LIMITED AMOUNT FOR SALE ON FAVORABLE TERMS.

HENRY CLEWS & CO., NO. 32 WALL-ST.

AT AN ANNUAL ELECTION FOR Directors of the New-York Mutual Gas-light Company, held on the 17th inst., the following gentlemen were elected Directors for the ensuing year:

James Hoy,	Nicholas E. LaBau,
Cornelius Vanderbilt,	William E. Hoy,
Cornelius K. Garrison,	Joseph Seligman,
William M. Tweed,	Hugh Smith,
Andrew V. Stout,	Albert H. Vernam,
Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr.,	George W. McLean,
Richard B. Connolly,	George Opdyke,
Peter B. Sweeny,	George J. Forrest.

At a subsequent meeting of the Board of Directors James Hoy, Esq., was elected President, and William E. Hoy, Esq., Treasurer, of the Company. CHARLES PLACE, Secretary. NEW-YORK, May 18, 1870.

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND OF THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COLUMBIA, S. C., May 12, 1870.

ACCORDING TO THE PROVISIONS of an act approved March 1, 1870, "To provide for a sinking fund and the management of the same," the undersigned Commissioners, under said act, hereby authorize as follows:

Proposals will be received on or before 12 M., THURSDAY, 26th inst., at the banking-house of H. H. Kimpton, the financial agent of the State, No. 9 Nassau-st., New-York, for the sale of one hundred thousand ($100,000) dollars of the bonds or stocks of the State of South Carolina. Such proposals must be for amounts not less than five thousand ($5,000) dollars, and must state the issue of the bonds or stocks offered, and the price to be paid, only on the par value of the principal, in lawful money.

Bonds or stocks purchased must be delivered on the day next succeeding the award, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 3 P. M.

The right is reserved to reject any and all proposals that may be considered adverse to the interests of the State.

ROBERT K. SCOTT, Governor. J. L. NEAGLE, Controller-General. D. H. CHAMBERLAIN, Attorney-General. J. H. RAINEY, Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Senate. R. C. DE LARGE, Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means of the House of Representatives. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

OFFICE OF THE COLUMBUS, CHICAGO AND INDIANA CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, COLUMBUS, Ohio, May 7, 1870.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the Columbus, Chicago and Indiana Central Railway Company will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of Columbus, Ohio, on WEDNESDAY, June 1, 1870, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 3 o'clock P. M., for the election of fifteen directors to serve for the ensuing year, and such other business as may come before the meeting.

The books for the transfer of the capital stock of the Company will be closed in Columbus, Ohio, and New-York City at 3 o'clock P. M., May 21, 1870, and remain closed until the morning of June 2, 1870. GORDON MOODIE, Secretary.

THE NEW-YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD CO., TREASURER'S OFFICE, ALBANY, April 20, 1870.

THE STOCK TRANSFER BOOKS of this Company will be closed at the close of business on Saturday, the 30th day of April instant, preparatory to the annual election for Directors of the Company, to be held on Wednesday, the 1st day of June next, and will be reopened on the morning of Thursday, the 2d day of June next. E. D. WORCESTER, Treasurer.

OFFICE OF THE MENDOTA MINING COMPANY OF LAKE SUPERIOR, No. 31 Nassau-st., NEW-YORK, May 20, 1870.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the Mendota Mining Company of Lake Superior will be held at the office of Messrs. Stoker, Taylor & Co., No. 31 Nassau-st., on WEDNESDAY, 15th June next, at 3 P. M. CHAS. J. WELLS, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the annual meeting of the Dunleith and Dubuque Bridge Company for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of Dubuque, on MONDAY, the 6th day of June next, at 10 o'clock A. M. W. E. MASSEY, Secretary. DUBUQUE, Iowa, May 3, 1870.

$50,000.—TO BUY ONE OR MORE leasehold mortgages, one to five years to run; $60,000 for Columbia College mortgages, one to three years to run. Also, money to lend in various sums to suit on first-class real estate. Apply 12 to 2 o'clock to E. SALTONSTALL, No. 70 William-street.

LOST.—CERTIFICATE NO. 2,[illegible], FOR ONE hundred shares New-York Central and Hudson River Consolidated Stock, (blue tint,) in the name of Cammann & Co. All persons are cautioned against negotiating the above, as transfer has been stopped and new certificate applied for. CAMMANN & CO., No. 8 Wall-st.

FINANCIAL.

VERMILYE & CO. BANKERS, 16 and 18 Nassau-st., New-York.

DEALERS IN ALL ISSUES OF GOVERNMENT SECURITIES. BUY AND SELL ON COMMISSION RAILWAY STOCKS, BONDS AND GOLD. MAKING LIBERAL ADVANCES. INTEREST ON DEPOSITS.

The Undersigned Offer for Sale The First Mortgage Eight per Cent. GOLD BONDS OF THE St. Joseph and Denver City R. R. Co.

Interest payable February and August. Price, 97½ and accrued Interest in Currency. Pamphlets, with Map, &c., furnished on application.

W. P. CONVERSE & CO., Commercial Agents, No 54 Pine-st. TANNER & CO., Fiscal Agents, No. 49 Wall-st.

A SAFE INVESTMENT.

First Mortgage Bonds of the Chicago, Cincinnati & Louisville Railroad Company.

These bonds are part of the first and only issue of the Company for $1,000,000, covering its entire property, and are at the rate of $13,700 per mile. Of the whole amount $600,000 have been already placed, leaving but $400,000 to be sold. They are 7 per cent. coupon bonds due in 1887, interest payable in January and July in New-York. The Road is in operation. It is 73 miles long, extending from La Porte on the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern to Peru, where it connects with the Toledo, Wabash and Western and the Peru and Indianapolis Roads. It runs through one of the finest sections of Indiana, and makes a connecting link in the best through line from Chicago to Indianapolis, and thence to Cincinnati and Louisville.

We confidently offer these bonds as a desirable security to investors, AS THE NET EARNINGS OF THE ROAD FROM THE OPENING HAVE BEEN IN EXCESS OF THE INTEREST ON ITS BONDED DEBT, AND ARE CONSTANTLY INCREASING. Besides it is designed to extend the Road to Lake Michigan at New Buffalo or Michigan City the coming season, which will also greatly increase its earnings.

J. A. UNDERWOOD & SON, No. 16 Exchange-place. CALDWELL & CO., No. 27 Wall-st.

MUNROE & CO., AMERICAN BANKERS, NO. 7 RUE SCRIBE, PARIS. JOHN MUNROE & CO., NO. 8 WALL-ST., New-York.

Issue Circular Letters of Credit for Travelers in all parts of Europe, &c. Exchange on Paris.

DREXEL, WINTHROP & CO., NO. 18 WALL-ST. Issue letters of credit for TRAVELERS. Available in all the principal cities of Europe, through DREXEL, HARJES & CO., NO. 3 RUE SCRIBE, PARIS.

BOGERT & WHITE, BANKERS AND BROKERS, No. 13 Broad-st., New-York.

J. & W. SELIGMAN & CO., BANKERS, No. 59 Exchange-place, corner Broad-st., New-York. Issue Letters of Credit for travelers payable in any part of Europe, Asia, Africa, Australia and America. Draw Bills of Exchange and make telegraphic transfers of money on Europe and California.

AUSTIN BALDWIN & CO., BANKERS, NO. 70 BROADWAY, NO. 2 RUE DU DIX DECEMBRE, PARIS. Issue letters of credit for travelers in Europe, draw bills of exchange on the City Bank of London and on Paris, and the principal cities of Germany and Italy.

LEONARD, SHELDON & FOSTER, BANKERS, NO. 10 WALL-ST. Stocks, bonds, gold and Government securities bought and sold on commission. W. B. LEONARD, W. C. SHELDON, W. H. FOSTER.

BROWN BROTHERS & CO., NO. 59 WALL-ST., Issue COMMERCIAL and TRAVELERS' CREDITS AVAILABLE in all PARTS of the WORLD.

AUGUST BELMONT & CO., BANKERS, No. 50 Wall-st., New-York, Issue letters of credit for travelers available all parts of the world, through the MESSRS. DE ROTHSCHILD, and their correspondents. Also, make telegraphic transfers of money on California, Europe and Havana.

HANNIBAL AND ST. JOSEPH RAILROAD COMPANY.

Sealed proposals addressed to William. H. Swift, at Messrs. Ward, Campbell & Co.'s, No. 56 Wall-st., New-York, or to H. S. Watson, Treasurer, Boston, will be received until noon on MONDAY, May 23, 1870, for the sale of FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS of the Land Bonds of said Company to the undersigned Trustees, in accordance with the provisions of the indenture of mortgage, dated April 1, 1863.

The bids will be opened at the office of the Company in Boston on TUESDAY, May 24, and the accepted bids declared.

WILLIAM H. SWIFT, SIDNEY BARTLETT, NATHANIEL THAYER, Trustees.

New-York, May 12, 1870.

UNION PACIFIC SECURITIES.

FIRST MORTGAGE, 6 Per Cent., Gold; LAND GRANTS, 7 Per Cent., Currency; INCOME BONDS, 10 Per Cent., Currency; and STOCK, bought and sold. J. S. STANTON, No. 25 Broad-st.

LOUISIANA STATE BANK, OFFICE NO. 27 CAMP-ST., NEW-ORLEANS, May 4, 1870.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF the Louisiana State Bank having been authorized by a majority in amount of the stockholders, (under the provisions of the act of the Legislature amending and continuing in force the charter of the bank,) have decided to increase the capital stock of the bank not to exceed one million dollars, ($1,000,000,) inclusive of the appraised value of the present stock, viz.: $340,000. BOOKS OF SUBSCRIPTION ARE NOW OPEN at the Banking Office, No. 27 Camp-st., for 2,600 new shares—say $260,000—MAKING THE CAPITAL STOCK OF THE BANK $600,000.

The present stockholders are entitled by preference to subscribe for the new stock, in proportion to their respective shares, which privilege will be considered as waived unless exercised prior to 20th June prox.

Terms of subscription: Fifteen per cent. cash at the time of subscription; ten per cent. payable on the 1st July, 1870, and the remaining seventy-five per cent. in installments as may be hereafter determined by the Board, after thirty days' notice given to subscribers. No installment to exceed twenty-five per cent.

By order of the Board. OSCAR BERCIER, Cashier.

LOUISIANA STATE BANK, OFFICE NO. 27 CAMP-ST., NEW-ORLEANS, May 4, 1870.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF the Louisiana State Bank having been authorized, by a majority in amount of the stockholders, (under the provisions of section 3 of Act No. 65, of the Legislature of the State, approved March 16, 1870, amending and continuing in force the charter of the Bank,) have appraised and declared the actual cash value of the present capital stock of the bank to be $37 per share. Under the provisions of said act the present capital stock will be consolidated into shares of the par value of $100, and the stockholders are hereby called upon to return to the bank the certificates of stock now held by them, in order that new certificates of $100 may be issued; and no transfers will be made hereafter except in the certificates of the new stock.

Whenever the amount of old stock held by any stockholder does not amount to the even sum of one hundred dollars, or any multiple thereof, it will be at the option of said stockholder either to receive from the bank the price of the stock held in excess of one hundred dollars, or any multiple thereof, at the appraised cash value, or to pay the difference and receive one share of full paid stock.

By order of the Board. OSCAR BERCIER, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD CO., NEW-YORK, May 2, 1870.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE shareholders of the Illinois Central Railroad Company for the election of Directors and the transaction of other business will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of Chicago, on WEDNESDAY, the 25th day of May inst., at 12 o'clock M.

The transfer books of the Company will be closed after the 14th inst., and until the 1st day of June prox. L. A. CATLIN, Secretary.

OFFICE OF CHICAGO AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY, NO. 52 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, April 6, 1870.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stock and bond holders of the Chicago and North-western Railway Company for the election of a Board of Directors, and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before them, will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of Chicago, on THURSDAY, the 2d day of June next, at 1 o'clock P. M.

The transfer-books will be closed on the 27th day of April, 1870, at 3 P. M., and reopened on the 4th day of June next, at 10 A. M. A. L. PRITCHARD, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an election will be held at the office of the New-York Bridge Company, corner of Fulton and Front sts., in the City of Brooklyn, on MONDAY, the 6th day of June next, at 12 o'clock M. of that day, for the election of directors of said Company for the then ensuing year. HENRY C. MURPHY, President. JOHN P. ATKINSON, Secretary. Dated May 5, 1870.

FINANCIAL.

INDIANAPOLIS, BLOOMINGTON AND WESTERN RAILWAY SEVEN PER CENT. GOLD LOAN.

The bonds are in denominations of $1,000 each, secured by a first mortgage on 208 miles of road, from Indianapolis, the largest city and most important railroad center in the State of Indiana, to the City of Pekin, in Illinois.

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY MILES of the line are now IN FULL OPERATION, equipped with new first-class rolling stock, and already EARNING MUCH MORE THAN THE INTEREST ON THE WHOLE ISSUE OF BONDS. The balance, thirty-five miles, is being rapidly constructed, is nearly all graded, and UNDER CONTRACT TO BE FINISHED IN JUNE NEXT.

There are thirty-six depots on the line, LOCATED IN CITIES AND TOWNS THAT CONTAIN, IN THE AGGREGATE, A POPULATION OF ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY THOUSAND, averaging over 220 to each square mile, within a radius of half a mile of the track; and WITHIN TWENTY MILES OF THE TRACK THERE IS A POPULATION OF ABOUT SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND.

It passes through the counties of Marion, Hendricks, Montgomery, Fountain, Warren and Vermillion, in the State of Indiana, and Vermillion, Champaign, De Witt, Piatt, McLean and Tazewell Counties, in Illinois, on the line of the old emigrant State road, which was laid out in the best portion of those States before the time of railroads, was then the main line of Western travel, and consequently became more thickly settled than other sections of the West, as the numerous cities, large villages, and products of these counties demonstrate.

Besides the large agricultural productions of this section the manufacturing interest is very extensive in the large towns, and is rapidly increasing.

The coal-mines at Danville on this line are extensively and profitably worked, and FURNISH BUSINESS FOR OVER THREE HUNDRED COAL CARS on this line at present, and MORE THAN TWICE THAT NUMBER WILL BE REQUIRED to carry coal on completion of the remaining link.

From the present earnings on 170 miles it is safe to assume that the LOCAL BUSINESS ALONE WILL BE AMPLE NOT ONLY TO PAY THE BONDED DEBT, BUT LARGE DIVIDENDS ON THE STOCK.

In addition to the population and wealth of the country, and all that is necessary to support a first-class road and make its profitable investment through local traffic, it forms a grand central trunk line FOR THROUGH BUSINESS, NOT SURPASSED BY ANY ROAD OF EQUAL LENGTH IN THE WEST.

At Indianapolis it connects by main lines with the cities of Columbus, Cleveland, Pittsburg, Cincinnati—and with the Pennsylvania Central, Baltimore and Ohio, Chesapeake and Ohio, and other important railroad lines. At Pekin, the western terminus, connections are made with Peoria, Quincy, Keokuk, Burlington and Omaha. At Bloomington with the Illinois Central Road, which runs north-west 400 miles to Fort Dodge, Iowa, a very large business will be done with this line. At Danville it connects by rail with Toledo on Lake Erie. A map will show all these to be very important connections in making through lines over this route.

THE LOAN IS PLACED BEYOND ANY CONTINGENCY BY THE PRESENT EARNINGS FROM LOCAL TRAFFIC ON ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY MILES, which must necessarily be doubled when the trains run through.

THE BONDS ARE CONVERTIBLE at the option of the holder into stock at par at any time, which adds greatly to their value. They may be registered at the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, if desired.

Coupons payable April and October, free of tax.

Total issue $5,000,000—$2,000,000 of which are placed in trust with the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company to redeem and cancel $2,000,000 bonds issued to the Danville, Urbana, Bloomington and Pekin Railroad, now merged into this road, making the loan only $3,000,000, OVER HALF OF WHICH HAS BEEN SOLD IN EUROPE AND THIS MARKET. The balance we offer at 90 AND ACCRUED INTEREST. At this low price the Bonds, being so amply secured, will be quickly marketed.

We have been thoroughly posted in regard to the road from the start, have closely inspected it from time to time during construction, and being familiar with the wealth and resources of the country, the responsibility and integrity of the officers and directors of the Company, and the present earnings of the road, it is with pleasure that WE RECOMMEND THE BONDS AS ONE OF THE CHEAPEST AND SAFEST INVESTMENTS IN THE MARKET, sure of a high standard among the best railroad securities in the country.

All marketable securities received in exchange at market rates. Bonds delivered to all points FREE OF EXPRESS CHARGES.

TURNER BROTHERS, BANKERS, NO. 14 NASSAU-ST.

7 PER CENT. GOLD LOAN (FREE OF U. S. TAX) OF THE Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Minnesota R. R. Co.'s FIRST MORTGAGE 50 YEAR CONVERTIBLE BONDS, A LIMITED QUANTITY FOR SALE AT 90 AND ACCRUED INTEREST.

The greater part of the road is already completed, and shows large earnings, and the balance of the work is rapidly progressing.

We unhesitatingly recommend these Bonds as the safest and best investment in the market.

United States Five-twenties, at current prices only, return five per cent. interest, while these pay eight and one-quarter per cent. in gold; and we regard the security equally good. HENRY CLEWS & CO., No. 32 Wall-st., New-York.

BANKING HOUSE OF Geo. Opdyke & Co. 25 NASSAU ST. CORNER OF CEDAR ST.

FOUR PER CENT. interest allowed on current accounts, subject to check at sight.

PRIME INVESTMENTS for trust and other funds always on hand.

INVESTMENT ORDERS promptly executed for Governments, Gold, Bonds and other Securities.

COLLECTIONS WANTED ON CHICAGO, KEOKUK, DES MOINES, IOWA CITY, ST. JOSEPH, and other points in the Western States.

FARNHAM, GILBERT & CO., BANKERS, NO. 8 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK.

OFFICE OF THE COMMERCIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, NO. 157 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, May 11, 1870.

AT AN ELECTION HELD ON 9TH inst., the following gentlemen were elected Directors of the ensuing year:

DAVID DOWS,	JOHN VAN ARSDALE,
HOWEL HOPPOCK,	HENRY ANSTICE,
MULFORD MARTIN,	OGDEN HAGGERTY,
STEPHEN WRAY,	MATT. VASSAR, JR.,
WILLIAM A. MARTIN,	JOHN H. BROWER,
WM. H. JOHNSON,	JESSE HOYT,
J. J. VAN NOSTRAND,	JOHN CASTREE,
PETER MCMARTIN,	JOHN HALSTED,
SAMUEL J. BERRY,	R. H. VAN AUKEN,
JOSEPH FOULKE,	WARREN HARRIOT,
JAS. O. SMITH,	JAMES THOMPSON,
HENRY B. COWLES,	A. S. HAMMERSLEY,
JOHN GIBNEY,	RICH. B. DUYCKINCK,
FERD. DUYSTERS,	WALTER W. PRICE,
JOHN D. JONES,	C. L. SHARPSTEIN,
EDWARD ELSWORTH,	DAVID MURRAY,
C. K. SUTTON,	DANIEL O. ARCHER,
J. S. T. STRANAHAN,	BENJ. F. KISSAM,
GEORGE LELAND,	THOS. M. HOOKER,
M. V. B. FOWLER,	BENJ. STEPHENS.

And at a subsequent meeting of the Board, held this day, M. V. B. FOWLER was unanimously elected President, and DAVID QUACKINBUSH appointed Secretary. JOHN CASTREE, Chairman.

CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND AND PACIFIC R. R. CO., SECRETARY'S OFFICE, NO. 13 WILLIAM-ST., NEW-YORK, April 28, 1870.

TO HOLDERS OF CHICAGO AND ROCK ISLAND RAILROAD BONDS.—This Company are prepared to exchange their First Mortgage Sinking Fund Seven per cent. Bonds, due in 1898, for the bonds of the Chicago and Rock Island Company, maturing July, 1870. The bonds offered in exchange are secured by a First Mortgage on the entire road and equipment, extending from Chicago to Council Bluffs, including the Washington Branch, being altogether 563 miles in extent. J. F. TRACY, President.

NEW-JERSEY RAILROAD, No. 111 LIBERTY-ST., NEW-YORK, May 7, 1870.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of the New-Jersey Rail and Transportation Company, for the election of directors and the transaction of business, will be held at the Company's depot, Jersey City, on WEDNESDAY, June 1, 1870, at 12 o'clock A. M. FRED. W. RANKIN, Secretary.

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FINANCIAL.

BONDS OF A DIVIDEND-PAYING COMPANY.

We offer for sale a limited amount of LOUISVILLE AND NASHVILLE RAILROAD FIRST MORTGAGE 7s At Ninety and Accrued Interest from April 1.

The above bonds are issued on a road costing about double the amount of the mortgage, and which has a PAID-IN CAPITAL STOCK OF NEARLY NINE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, upon which for the PAST SEVEN YEARS DIVIDENDS OF FROM 7 to 8 PER CENT. PER ANNUM have been regularly paid.

The net earnings of the road last year were over $1,000,000.

The gross earnings of the first six months of this year show an increase of THIRTY PER CENT. above corresponding six months last year. This is caused by the immense business the Company is doing—more freight offering than they can carry. The money procured from these bonds has been used to purchase feeding roads, and to add needed facilities for moving freight. We would call the attention of investors to these bonds, as they are issued by an old Company with a large paid-in stock capital, which has demonstrated its ability to pay its liabilities and make money.

DREXEL, WINTHROP & CO., No. 18 Wall-st. JOHN J. CISCO & SON, No. 59 Wall-st. J. B. ALEXANDER & CO., No. 19 Nassau-st.

THE NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK, NO. 336 BROADWAY.

CAPITAL - $1,000,000

DEPOSITS, OVER $4,000,000

PAYS 4 PER CENT. INTEREST ON DEPOSITS SUBJECT TO CHECK AT SIGHT.

PAYS 5 PER CENT. INTEREST ON SPECIAL DEPOSITS FOR SIX MONTHS OR LONGER.

THE COMPANY IS A LEGAL DEPOSITORY FOR MONEYS PAID INTO COURT, AND RECEIVES MONEYS IN TRUST.

DARIUS R. MANGAM, President. B. L. SOLOMON, First Vice-President. BENJ. F. BANCROFT, Second Vice-President. JAMES MERRELL, Secretary.

SAVINGS BANKS.

INTEREST FROM THE FIRST OF EACH MONTH.

CITIZENS' SAVINGS BANK, No. 58 Bowery, south-west corner of Canal-st. Money deposited NOW will draw interest from June 1, at the rate of SIX per Cent. on all sums exceeding $5.

Interest paid or credited in July and January of each year.

Bank open every day from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M., and on MONDAYS and SATURDAYS from 10 A. M. to 7 P. M.

UNION DIME SAVINGS BANK, Nos. 396 and 398 Canal-st., corner Laight-st. SIX PER CENT. INTEREST ON $5 TO $5,000. ASSETS, $7,366,680 76. N. J. HAINES, W. E. WHITLOCK, Vice-Presidents. JOHN McLEAN, President. G. S. CHAPIN, Treasurer. T. S. ARMOUR, Secretary.

NEW-YORK SAVINGS BANK, 8TH-av., corner of 14th-st.—SIX PER CENT. INTEREST paid on all sums from $5 to $5,000. Deposits made on or before June 1 will draw interest from June 1. ASSETS, $1,702,100 62. SURPLUS, $149,123 42.

EQUAL TO SEVEN PER CENT.—INterest from June 1 on deposits made on or before that day. Dime Savings Bank, Nos. 3 and 5 Broadway, Williamsburg.

HORSES AND CARRIAGES.

ARMORY OF THE 22D REGIMENT.

WOOD BROTHERS have removed their entire stock of fine PLEASURE CARRIAGES, embracing every variety for City, Park and Road Driving, to the Armory of the Twenty-second Regiment, 14th-St., between 6th and 7th Avs.

Attention is called to the fact that these Carriages are fresh stock, exclusively of their own manufacture, of the newest designs and most perfect finish, made for the present season to stock their new ware-rooms, No. 740 Broadway, but, owing to the late accident that necessitates the rebuilding of their warehouse, have been removed to the above Armory, on 14th-st., and are to be

SOLD AT COST OF PRODUCTION.

Elegant Close Coaches	- -	$1,000
Landaus	- -	$1,500 to 1,650
Clarences	- -	1,400 to 1,650
Wagons	- -	350 to 400

THESE CARRIAGES HAVE NO SUPERIOR IN ELEGANCE, DURABILITY OR FINISH.

Prices fixed, and every Carriage offered for sale is equal in quality to those built to order.

GUARANTEES MADE GOOD IN EVERY CITY OF THE UNION.

THEY ALSO OFFER

PONY CARRIAGES, New Designs, for - - - - - - $150

PONY CARRIAGES, With Rumble Seat for Servants - - - 200

WANTED—BLACK HORSE, (NO WHITE,) sixteen hands, six years old, stylish, well bred and sound. Address No. 718 New-York Post-office, giving lowest price and particulars.

FOR SALE—A PAIR OF LIGHT, ACTIVE horses, sound, kind, and can be driven by a lady with entire safety. Apply at stables, 50 West 10th-st.

DRY GOODS.

GENUINE IRISH POPLINS.

INGLIS & TINCKLER, IRISH POPLIN MANUFACTURERS, Nos. 7 and 8 Eustace-st., Dublin.

Respectfully intimate that they have opened an establishment at No. 167 Regent-st., London, for the sale of their superior Irish Poplins; the stock is large and well assorted, comprising all the different makes in Irish Poplin, while the prices are the same as those charged in Dublin. At the desire of numerous customers a well-selected stock of real Balbriggan Hosiery is also kept, so that visitors to England can now purchase both these articles in London with the certainty of getting them genuine and at Dublin prices.

Please Note Address—NO. 167 REGENT-ST., LONDON, W.

FEET-COVERING FOR ALL WHO WANT GOOD ARTICLES AT MODERATE PRICES, CAN BE FOUND AT CANTRELL'S (Late of Broadway,) No. 241 4th-av., between 19th and 20th sts.

DRY-GOODS.—THE STOCK OF AN OLD-established dry-goods store for sale, with lease of store, at a low rent, on one of the best avenues in the City, for cash or improved real estate; sold on account of impaired health. Address S. T., Box No. 126 Times Office.

MILLINERY.

MRS. M'FARLAND AGAIN SAYS that Mme. BINNS has the prettiest Round Hats, Bonnets and Children's Hats in the City. Ladies should call at No. 773 Broadway, opposite Stewart's. Just received, French Dress Patterns; also, assortment of Hair Braids, Curls, Chignons, cheap.

CHILDREN'S HATS, ELEGANT Dress Hats, School Hats, $1; Straw Hats, $1; Flowers, Ribbons and Ladies' Bonnets, and elegant Dress Bonnets. BINNS' Millinery, No. 867 Broadway, upstairs. Avoid mistakes.

MISCELLANEOUS.

VANILLA BEANS, &C.

Fresh Vanilla; new crop; just in. Essential oils lemon, orange, wintergreen, &c. For sale by J. S. ASPINWALL, No. 86 William-st.

GREEN-WOOD CEMETERY.

For sale, a plot containing 24 lots, or 800 square feet, on White Oak Hill, overlooking the Bay. PRICHARD, CHOATE & SMITH, No. 62 Wall-st.

GUERLAIN. PERFUMER, Paris, No. 15 Rue de la Paix. Paris.

BARRELS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION [illegible] Pearl-st., Harper's building, New-York. All orders at the lowest factory prices. JOHN E. HOPPEL.

HERRMAN & FERSCH, MANUFACturers of show-cases in silver-plate, black-walnut, [illegible]

SHIPPING.

CUNARD LINE.

THE BRITISH AND NORTH AMERICAN ROYAL MAIL STEAM-SHIPS, BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND LIVERPOOL, CALLING AT CORK HARBOR.

Scotia, Wednesday, May 18 | Batavia, Saturday, May 28
Tarifa, Thursday, May 19 | Russia, Wednes., June 1
Marathon, Sat'day, May 21 | Aleppo, Thursday, June 2
Cuba, Wednesday, May 25 | [illegible], Saturday, June 4
Samaria, Thursday, May 26 | [illegible], June 8

RATES OF PASSAGE.

By the Wednesday steamers, not carrying steerage: First Cabin....$130, gold. Second Cabin....$80, gold. First Cabin, to Paris....$145, gold. Return tickets....$250, gold.

By the Thursday and Saturday steamers. First Cabin....$80, gold. Steerage....$30, currency. Return tickets....$150, gold.

Steerage tickets from Liverpool and Queenstown and all parts of Europe at lowest rates.

Through bills of lading given for Belfast, Glasgow, Havre, Antwerp and other ports on the Continent and for Mediterranean ports.

For freight and cabin passage apply at the Company's Office, No. 4 Bowling-green.

For steerage passage at No. 111 Broadway, Trinity Building. CHAS. G. FRANCKLYN, Agent.

ONLY DIRECT LINE TO FRANCE.

THE GENERAL TRANSATLANTIC COMPANY'S MAIL STEAM-SHIPS BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND HAVRE, CALLING AT BREST.

The splendid vessels on this favorite route for the Continent will sail from Pier No. 50 North River as follows:

LAFAYETTE......ROUSSAU..SATURDAY, May 28
VILLE DE PARIS..SURMONT..SATURDAY, June 11
ST. LAURENT.....LEMARIE..SATURDAY, June 25
PEREIRE.........DUCHESNE..SATURDAY, July 9

Rates of passage, payable in gold, (including wine.) TO BREST OR HAVRE, First cabin, $140; second cabin, $75.

TO PARIS, (including railway tickets,) $145 and $78.

These steamers do not carry steerage passengers.

American travelers going to or returning from the Continent of Europe by taking the steamers of this line avoid both transit by English railways and the discomforts of crossing the Channel, besides saving time, trouble and expense.

GEO. MACKENZIE, Agent, No. 58 Broadway.

STEAM TO GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND LONDONDERRY.

THE ANCHOR LINE.

Favorite Clyde-built passenger steamers are intended to sail as follows:

COLUMBIA......May 21 | BRITANNIA......June 1
CALEDONIA......May 28 | INDIA......June 4
EUROPA......May 28 | IOWA......June 8

and every WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY thereafter, from Pier No. 20 North River, at 12 o'clock, noon.

RATES OF PASSAGE PAYABLE IN CURRENCY.

Cabins, to Liverpool, Glasgow or Derry, $70 and $65. Excursion tickets, good for 12 months, $130. Steerage, to Glasgow, Liverpool or Derry, $30; intermediate, $35.

Prepaid Certificates from these ports, $32.

Passengers booked to and from Hamburg, Havre, Rotterdam, Antwerp, &c., at very low rates.

Drafts issued payable at any bank in Great Britain and Ireland.

For further information apply on the steamers, foot of Dey-st., or at the Company's offices, No. 7 Bowling-green, New-York. HENDERSON BROTHERS.

FOR LIVERPOOL AND QUEENSTOWN.—Inman Line of Royal Mail Steamers are appointed to sail as follows:

CITY OF LONDON......Saturday, May 21, 10 A. M.
CITY OF PARIS......Saturday, May 28, 1 P. M.
CITY OF BALTIMORE, (via Halifax,) Tuesday, May 31, 1 P. M.

And each succeeding SATURDAY and alternate TUESDAY, from Pier No. 45 North River.

RATES OF PASSAGE.

PAYABLE IN GOLD.		PAYABLE IN CURRENCY.	
First Cabin	$75	Steerage	$30
To London	80	To London	35
To Paris	90	To Paris	38
To Halifax	20		

Passengers also forwarded to Havre, Hamburg, Bremen, &c., at reduced rates.

Tickets can be bought here at moderate rates by persons wishing to send for their friends.

For further information apply at the Company's Office. JOHN G. DALE, Agent, No. 15 Broadway, New-York.

FOR LIVERPOOL,
(VIA QUEENSTOWN,)
CARRYING THE UNITED STATES MAILS.

THE LIVERPOOL AND GREAT WESTERN STEAM COMPANY will dispatch one of their first-class full powered iron screw steam-ships FROM PIER NO. 46 NORTH RIVER, EVERY WEDNESDAY, as follows:

IDAHO, Capt. PRICE......May 25, at 3 P. M.
NEVADA, Capt. GREEN......June 1, at 1 P. M.
COLORADO, Capt. WILLIAMS......June 8, at 1 P. M.
NEBRASKA, Capt. GUARD......June 15, at 1 P. M.
MANHATTAN, Capt. FORSYTH...June 22, at 1 P. M.
MINNESOTA, Capt. WHINERAY..June 29, at 4 P. M.

Cabin passage, $80 gold.

Steerage passage, (Office No. 29 Broadway,) $30 currency.

For freight or cabin passage apply to WILLIAMS & GUION, No. 63 Wall-st.

NATIONAL LINE.

STEAM TO LIVERPOOL AND QUEENSTOWN, From Pier No. 47 North River.

STEERAGE PASSAGE To Liverpool, Queenstown, Londonderry and Glasgow, REDUCED TO $28 CURRENCY.

HELVETIA, Gates, Saturday, May 21, at 10 A. M.
ERIN, Webster, Saturday, May 28, at 3 P. M.
THE QUEEN, Thomson, Saturday, June 4, at 10 A. M.
FRANCE, Saturday, June 11, at 3 P. M.

Passage to Liverpool or Queenstown: Cabin, $60 and $70.

Prepaid steerage tickets from Liverpool, Queenstown, Londonderry and Glasgow, $32 currency.

Apply at the Company's office, No. 69 Broadway. F. W. J. HURST, Manager.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S THROUGH LINE TO

CALIFORNIA AND CHINA.

FREIGHT AND PASSAGE GREATLY REDUCED.

Through rates, New-York to San Francisco: First Class, $125 to $170, according to location of berth. Steerage, $60.

These rates include berths, board and all necessaries for the trip.

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One hundred pounds of baggage free to each adult. Medicine and attendance free.

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NEW ROUTE FROM NEW-YORK TO NEWPORT.—[illegible] via New-Haven, Shore Line, and Newport and Wickford Railroads and steamers. [illegible] Leave New-York and New-Haven depot, 27th-st. [illegible] Newport at 8:15 P. M. Leave New-York at 5 P. M. by Stonington steam-boats, foot of Jay-st., N. R.; remain on boats at Stonington until 7 A. M.; arrive at Newport at 9½ A. M. Leave New-York from New-Haven depot at 3 P. M. by express train; arrive at Newport at [illegible] A. M. Returning, connect with day and night express trains and Stonington steam-boats. For further particulars apply at depot of New-Haven Railroad, 27th-st., and at office of Stonington steam-boats, Pier No. 33 N. R. Fare as low as by any other line. THEODORE WARREN, Gen. Passenger Agent.

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NEWBURG, POUGHKEEPSIE AND RONDOUT—Landing at Cozzens, West Point, Cornwall, New-Hamburg and Milton. The steamboat MARY POWELL (on and after SATURDAY, May 14,) will leave Vestry-st. pier at 3½ P. M. daily.

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FOR NORWALK AND DANBURY.—Steamer NELLY WHITE leaves daily, foot of Market-st. at 2:45, and 37th-st. at 3 P. M.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—IN THE MATTER of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York, relative to the opening of Ninety-fifth street, from the Fifth-avenue to the East River, in the City of New-York.—We, the undersigned Commissioners of estimate and assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit: That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to Thomas J. Barr, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 32 Nassau-street, (Room No. 11,) in the said City, on or before the 10th day of June, 1870, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the 10th day of June, 1870, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.; that the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Street Commissioner's office, in the City of New-York, there to remain until the 28th day of June, 1870; that the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land lying and being on Ninety-fifth street, between the Fifth-avenue and the East River, in the City of New-York, and extending on either side of said Ninety-fifth street, half the distance to the next street thereto; and that our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New-York, at a special term thereof, to be held in the new Court-house, in the City Hall, in the City of New-York, on the 11th day of July, 1870, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW-YORK, May 11, 1870.

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RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

REV. MERRILL RICHARDSON, THE eloquent and popular Pastor of the Salem-st. Church, Worcester, Mass., [illegible] will supply the pulpit [illegible] Congregational Church of this City [illegible] SUNDAY, May 22. Services MORNING and EVENING in [illegible] Chapel, 45th-st., between 4th and 5th avs.

REV. DR. GALLAUDET WILL DELIVER a lecture on the "Education of Deaf Mutes and the Sign Language," in the Sunday-school of St. Ann's Church, 18th-st., near 5th-av., [illegible] to be appropriated to the Mission Work of the Church, next TUESDAY EVENING, the 24th inst., at 8 o'clock. Tickets at McIntyre's, corner [illegible] and at Holmes & Co., No. [illegible] Broadway, and at the door.

NEW-YORK PORT SOCIETY.—Preaching at the Mariners' Church, corner of Catharine and Madison sts., SUNDAY, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M., by Prof. BENJ. N. MARTIN, of New-York University. Preaching at Wallabout Mission by Rev. G. W. JONES, at 3 P. M., and at No. 32 West-st. at 3½ P. M., by the associate Pastor, Rev. BENJ. F. MILLARD.

FIVE POINTS MISSION, SITE OF THE Old Brewery, No. 61 Park-st.—the original mission at the Points, Rev. J. N. SHAFFER, Superintendent. Preaching at 10½ A. M. and in the open air in front of the Mission, by Rev. P. GERMOND, at 4 o'clock P. M.; and in the Chapel at 7½ P. M. Sunday-school at 2½ A. M., and from 2 to 4 P. M. Friends of the cause are invited.

GREENE-STREET M. E. CHURCH—Between Broome and Spring sts.—Rev. A. K. SANFORD, Pastor, will preach on SUNDAY, at 10½ o'clock A. M., and at 7½ o'clock P. M. Prayer-meeting on WEDNESDAY EVENING, and experience meeting on FRIDAY EVENING at 8 o'clock. Seats free. Strangers and others are invited to attend.

THE AMERICAN COLONIZATION SOCIETY will hold a public meeting on SUNDAY EVENING, at 7½ o'clock, in the Baptist Tabernacle, No. 162 2d-av., near 10th-st. Addresses may be expected from Rev. Dr. SAMSON, President of Columbian College, Washington, D. C.; Rev. Dr. MACLEAN, late President of Princeton College, and others.

THE SYNOD OF THE REFORMED Presbyterian Church will be convened in the First Church, 39th-st., between 8th and 9th avs., on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 25th inst., at 7½ P. M. The retiring Moderator, Rev. ANDREW STEVENSON, D. D., will deliver a discourse before the Synod on *The Present Duty of Covenanters.*

AMERICAN PRESBYTERIAN FREE CHURCH, Masonic Hall, 13th-st., between 3d and 4th avs. CHAS. B. [illegible] preaches SUNDAY MORNING, and proposes to establish in this City a Church upon a liberal Evangelical basis. He and his friends would be glad to have the co-operation of all who approve of the undertaking.

ASCENSION DAY.—THURSDAY, THE 26th inst. Services at St. Ann's Free Church, 18th-st., near 5th-av., at 7½ and 10½ A. M., with Holy Communion at [illegible] P. M. [illegible] and [illegible] P. M. All those who have been confirmed at St. Ann's Parish are expected to receive either [illegible] 10½ A. M. service on Whitsunday, the 5th of June.

PAPAL INFALLIBILITY.—REV. GEO. F. SEYMOUR, D. D., Professor in the General Theological Seminary, will preach a sermon on the above topic on SUNDAY EVENING, May 22, in St. Chrysostom's Church, 7th-av., corner of 39th-st., for the benefit of the Church Building Fund. Services will begin at 7½ o'clock. Seats all free.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 23d-st. corner 4th-av.—Monthly meeting in Association Hall, MONDAY EVENING, 23d inst., at 8 o'clock. Addresses by J. D. [illegible], Esq., and Rev. R. S. MCARTHUR, Pastor of Calvary Baptist Church. The public are invited.

GRAND TEMPERANCE RALLY AT Cooper Institute, large hall, every SUNDAY NIGHT. Addresses by Rev. Mr. HOSMER, editor of the Northern Independent, and others. Singing by the Marion Division Glee Club. Stephen Merritt, Jr., G. W. P., will preside.

ELDER GEORGE A. BROWN, OF [illegible], will preach SUNDAY, May 22, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M., and at Temperance Hall, No. 86 Grand-st. [illegible] Church, at [illegible] A. M.

ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH, NO. 264 Bleecker-st.—Rev. JOHN LOVE, JR., Pastor, will preach SUNDAY MORNING and EVENING at the usual hours. Subject for evening discourse—"[illegible]." Seats free. All are invited.

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, corner of Clinton-st. and 1st-place, South Brooklyn.—Hours of service, 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Preaching by Rev. THOMAS A. WELLS. Residents of South Brooklyn and strangers cordially invited.

A MEETING IN BEHALF OF THE Evangelical Alliance will be held in the Tabernacle Church, (Dr. Thompson's,) 34th-st., on SUNDAY EVENING, at 7½ o'clock. Addresses will be delivered by Bishop JANES and Rev. Drs. ELDRIDGE and EDDY.

SECOND ADVENT CHURCH, COOPER Institute, Room No. 24.—Preaching on SUNDAY, by Elder W. N. PILE, at 10½ A. M. and 3 P. M., on subjects connected with the Coming and Kingdom of Christ. All who wish to hear the pure Gospel message are invited. Seats free.

REV. S. H. TYNG, JR., WILL PREACH in the new Floating Church of Our Saviour on SUNDAY AFTERNOON—next divine service commencing at 4 o'clock. The [illegible] particularly is invited to the work this Mission is effecting among the men of the sea.

ST. PAUL'S REFORMED DUTCH CHURCH, Stuyvesant-square, 20th-st., between 2d and 3d avs. Rev. ALEX. [illegible], Pastor.—Please God, divine service on SUNDAY, 22d inst., at 10½ o'clock A. M. and 7½ o'clock P. M. Sunday-school and Bible-class at [illegible] A. M.

THE BIBLE.—REV. OSCAR HUGO WILL preach SUNDAY EVENING, at 7½ o'clock, in the M. E. Church, Washington Heights, and in the MORNING in Riverdale Presbyterian Church. Subject—[illegible].

ST. ANN'S FREE CHURCH, 18TH-st., near 5th-av.—SUNDAY, Rev. [illegible] will preach at 7½ and 10½ A. M. and 3½ P. M. [illegible] and Rev. Dr. Dunnon at 7½ P. M. [illegible] choral service with ecclesiastical [illegible].

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, PARK-av., between 39th and 40th sts. [illegible] Sunday-school at 9 A. M. and 2½ P. M. [illegible] T. D. ANDERSON, D. D., at 10½ A. M. and 8 P. M.; prayer and conference meeting at 7½ P. M.

THE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE HOLY TRINITY, 21st-st., between 6th and 7th avs., Rev. G. F. KROTEL, D. D., Pastor. Services SUNDAY, 22d inst., at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M.

REV. E. D. NORTHROP, PASTOR, will preach in the West Twenty-third-street Presbyterian Church, near 9th-av., on SUNDAY, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Young people's prayer-meeting at [illegible] P. M. All are cordially invited [illegible].

EVANGELIST PREACHING ON THE *Unity of the Church and Her Separation for the Coming of the Lord,* at Catholic Apostolic Church, 16th-st., between 6th and 7th avs., SUNDAY EVENING, May 22, at 7½ o'clock.

Y. M. C. A.—NEW BUILDING, CORNER OF 23d-st. and 4th-av. Special services for young men on SUNDAY, May 22; social Bible-class at 3 P. M. Address to young men at 7½ P. M. by Rev. Dr. RIDGAWAY. Seats free; all welcome.

ROSE HILL M. E. CHURCH, 27TH-ST., between 3d and 4th avs.—Preaching by the Pastor, Rev. J. H. [illegible], on SUNDAY, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Seats free. Sabbath-school at 9 A. M. and 2 P. M.

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 22d-st., between 8th and 9th avs.—Preaching on SABBATH by the Pastor, Rev. Geo. M. McKEBSON, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Strangers cordially invited.

THAT MAN OF GOD, CONCERNING whom so many false and scurrilous reports have been published, will preach in the University, Washington-square, on SUNDAY, at 3 P. M. Seats free. Subject—*The Second Coming*—Rev. [illegible].

UNITARIAN CHRISTIANITY.—REV. Dr. H. W. BELLOWS preaches every SUNDAY MORNING at 10¾ o'clock, in Brevoort Hall, No. 154 East 54th-st., between Lexington and 3d avs. Sunday-school at 9 A. M. The public are cordially invited.

REV. ISAAC WESCOTT, D. D., WILL preach in Plymouth Baptist Church, 51st-st., between 6th and 10th avs., SUNDAY at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Subject, in the evening—*The Life of Queen Esther.* Sunday-school at 9 and 2 o'clock.

SEVENTEENTH-STREET M. E. CHURCH.—Preaching MORNING and EVENING by the Pastor, Rev. J. S. WILLIS. Evening subject—*The Prudent Man.* Love-feast at 3½ P. M.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH, NO. 34 WEST 28th-st., near Broadway, Rev. C. C. FOOTE, Pastor.—SUNDAY services at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Subject for EVENING—[illegible]. Seats free.

REV. DR. CARTER WILL PREACH in behalf of the Children's Fold, on SUNDAY EVENING, May 22, at Zion Church, Madison-av. and 38th-st. Services at 7½ o'clock.

MURRAY HILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 40th-st., near Lexington-av.—Services on SABBATH at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Preaching by the Pastor, Rev. GEORGE S. CHAMBERS.

JOHN-STREET M. E. CHURCH—THE Pastor, Rev. L. S. WEED, will preach on SUNDAY at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Seats free. All cordially invited.

FREE CHURCH OF ST. MATTHIAS, No. 250 West 42d-st., near Broadway and 7th-av.—Service at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Sermon, SUNDAY EVENING, May 22, by Rev. SAMUEL COOKE, D. D.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH.—West 23d-st., between 5th and 6th avs.—Preaching by the Pastor, Rev. R. S. MCARTHUR, SUNDAY, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M.

MRS. NELLIE J. T. BRIGHAM WILL speak before the Society of Spiritualists at Apollo Hall, Broadway and 28th-st., on SUNDAY, at 10½ and 7½ o'clock. Children's Lyceum at 2½ P. M.

CHURCH OF THE HOLY LIGHT, 7th-av., next to 34th-st.—Rev. WM. F. LEWIS will preach at 10½ A. M., and Rev. CLEMENT J. [illegible] at 7½ P. M.

AMITY BAPTIST CHURCH, WEST 54th-st., near 8th-av.—Rev. WILLIAM R. WILLIAMS, D. D., is expected to preach in this Church on SUNDAY MORNING at 10½ o'clock. Seats free.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION.—There will be a free service in this Church, corner 5th-av. and 10th-st., on SUNDAY EVENING, at 7½ o'clock. Seats free.

DAILY UNION PRAYER-MEETING.—Lecture-room, Young Men's Christian Association, 23d-st., corner 4th-av., from 4 to 5 o'clock P. M. The public are invited.

YOUNG MEN'S PRAYER-MEETING every THURSDAY EVENING at 8 o'clock. Young men are invited.

PEW FOR SALE—NO. 117 IN DR. HALL'S Church, corner of 19th-st. and 5th-av. Apply at No. 13 West 19th-st.

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SHEPHERD'S FOLD.

The friends of this Institution are cordially invited to visit the new House in [illegible], on [illegible] and [illegible] of May, between the hours of [illegible] o'clock. Amusements [illegible] will be offered for sale, also refreshments of every variety. The Shepherd's Fold may be reached by [illegible] cars, [illegible], or through the Central Park by [illegible]. Admission [illegible] cents.

REV. WM. M. BOOLE WILL PREACH in the Beekman Hill M. E. Church, SABBATH MORNING at 10½ o'clock. Preaching in the EVENING by Rev. HARY F. [illegible], at 7½. Dr. FULLER, Esq., will give a concert for the benefit of the Water-street Home for Women, THURSDAY EVENING, 26th inst., at 7½ o'clock, at the Beekman Hill M. E. Church. Tickets 50 cents.

THE THIRTY ANNUAL MEETING of the [illegible] Union will be held at the house of worship of the Tabernacle Baptist Church, in 2d-av., near 10th-st., New-York, on THURSDAY EVENING, May 26, 1870, at 7½ o'clock. Addresses will be delivered by Rev. THOMAS D. ANDERSON, D. D., of New-York; Rev. F. FRITH, of Brooklyn, and others.

NORTH-WEST REFORMED CHURCH, Rev. H. D. GANSE, Pastor, now worshiping in the hall of the Young Men's Christian Association, corner 23d-st. and 4th-av.—Divine service every SABBATH at 10½ A. M. and 3½ P. M. Sabbath-school at 9 A. M. Prayer-meeting every WEDNESDAY EVENING at 7½ o'clock. Strangers cordially invited.

THE CORNER-STONE OF THE NEW edifice of the North-west Reformed Church at the corner of Madison-av. and 57th-st., will be laid by divine Providence, on MONDAY, 23d inst., at 4 P. M. Rev. Dr. Isaac Ferris, Dr. John Cotton Smith, Dr. John Hall, Dr. Ridgeway, Dr. Rogers, Dr. Chambers and Mr. Ganse, the Pastor, will participate in the services.

ALLEN-STREET M. E. CHURCH, BETWEEN Rivington and Delancey sts.—Rev. WM. MCALLISTER, Pastor, will preach on SUNDAY, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Sunday-school at 9 A. M. and 1½ P. M. Young people's prayer-meeting at 6 o'clock. Seats free. Strangers and others cordially invited.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF SEA AND LAND, corner Market and Henry sts.—Preaching SUNDAY at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M., by Pastor, Rev. EDWARD [illegible]. Seamen are kindly invited. Seats all free. Sabbath-school at 9 and 2. Teachers wanted.

ST. TIMOTHY'S PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH, 54th and 57th sts., west of 8th-av.—SUNDAY services 10½ A. M., 7½ o'clock P. M. Sunday-school at 2½ o'clock P. M. No pews sold or rented, and no sittings reserved.

HOWARD MISSION AND HOME FOR LITTLE WANDERERS, No. 40 New Bowery.—Sunday-school SUNDAY, at 2½ P. M., and preaching at 7½ P. M., in the Chapel. All are invited to both services.

REV. GEO. H. HEPWORTH WILL preach at the Church of the Messiah, corner of Park-av. and 34th-st., SUNDAY, May 22. Morning and Evening. Subject—Morning—*The Bible, and How to Read It.*

THIRTY-SEVENTH-STREET M. E. CHURCH, near 8d-av.—Preaching on SUNDAY, by Rev. T. H. BURCH, Pastor, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Seats free. Sabbath-school at 9 and 2.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 50th-st., near Broadway.—SUNDAY, May 22, 1870, services at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Rev. J. D. WILSON, Pastor.

REV. S. A. COREY, D. D., WILL preach in the Murray Hill Baptist Chapel, Lexington-av., near 37th-st., on May 22, at 10½ A. M. and at 7½ P. M.

REV. J. M. PULLMAN WILL preach at the Church of our Saviour, (Sixth Universalist,) 57th-st., between 5th and 6th avs., SUNDAY MORNING and EVENING.

ST. LUKE'S M. E. CHURCH, 41ST-ST., near 6th-av.—Preaching by Rev. C. S. HARROWER, Pastor, on SUNDAY, 22d, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M.

LEGAL NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—EDWIN HOYT, [illegible] Gilbert L. Beeckman and Josiah [illegible], plaintiffs, against [illegible] of Wicks, Van Alstyne & Co., Wicks, Juilliard & Co. and George A. Wicks & Co., Nos. 1, 2 and 3, and [illegible] GEORGE A. WICKS and others, [illegible] [illegible]

SUPREME COURT.—CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW-YORK.—BENJAMIN H. DAY, Executor of the last will and testament of JAMES GREGG WILSON, deceased, plaintiff, against EMMA J. CHOVEY, (formerly Plumer,) individually and as a widow and administratrix of Francis Plumer, deceased, and Francis Chovey, her husband, John Joseph Plumer, and ——— Plumer, his wife, Frederick Plumer and Mary Plumer his wife, Maria Krepe, Mary Coppers and Edward Coppers her husband, and Henry Plumer, Elizabeth Plumer, Annie Plumer and Minnie Thoens, (formerly Plumer,) another and general guardian of said Henry Plumer, Elizabeth Plumer and Annie Plumer, defendants.—Summons for relief.—To the defendants: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, of which a copy is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office, No. 132 Nassau-st., New-York City, within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated Feb. 1, 1870. CYRUS LAWTON, Plaintiff's Attorney, No. 132 Nassau-st., New-York City. The complaint in this action was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, on the [illegible] day of February, 1870.—Dated March 21, 1870. CYRUS LAWTON, Plaintiff's Attorney.

SUPREME COURT.—CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW-YORK.—PAUL N. SPOFFORD, Clinton Hunter, Joseph L. Stafford and Gardiner S. Spofford, survivors of Paul Spofford, plaintiffs, against ALEXANDER SESSUMS and J. C. [illegible], composing the firm of A. Sessums & Co., defendants.—Summons [illegible]. [illegible] within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will take judgment against you for the sum of [illegible] hundred and ninety-two dollars [illegible], with interest from the [illegible] day of March, 1868, besides the costs and disbursements of this action.—Dated March 22, 1870. EVARTS, SOUTHMAYD & CHOATE, Plaintiffs' Attorneys. The complaint in the above-entitled action was this day filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York.—Dated April 14, 1870. EVARTS, SOUTHMAYD & CHOATE, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

SURROGATE NOTICES.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF William D. Veeder, Esq., Surrogate of the County of Kings, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against SILAS H. KING, late of the City of Brooklyn, deceased, that they are required to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, the administratrix, at her residence, No. 355 Gold-st., in the City of Brooklyn, on or before the 10th day of August next.—Dated Feb. [illegible], 1870. FRANCES A. KING, Administratrix.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF the Surrogate of the City and County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against GEORGE FOLSOM, late of the City of New-York, gentleman, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, the executor of the last will and testament of the said deceased, at his office and place of transacting business, No. 26 St. Mark's-place, in the City of New-York, on or before the 19th day of September, 1870.—Dated March 10, 1870. CHARLES J. FOLSOM, Executor.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against FREDERICK H. BARTHOLOMEW, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, Sarah Bartholomew, No. 136 Greenwich-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 13th day of November next.—Dated, New-York, the 3d day of May, 1870. SARAH BARTHOLOMEW, Executrix.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against JAMES HORN, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber at his office, No. 67 Wall-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 19th day of November next.—Dated New-York, the 12th day of May, 1870. WILLIAM T. HORN, Executor.

BOARDING AND LODGING.

BOARDING.—DON'T GO IN THE COUNTRY when you can get boarding [illegible] with [illegible] and cold water, [illegible] for two young gentlemen [illegible] [illegible]

NO. 13 EAST 30TH-ST., BETWEEN 5TH AND MADISON AVS.—To let, by a French lady, a second and third floor, [illegible], or singly, in a four-story brown-stone house, with all the modern improvements, for gentlemen or families; first-class board; private table if desired; handsome reception parlors; references exchanged.

BOARD ON BROOKLYN HEIGHTS.—No. 56 Columbia-st., affording entire view of the bay and surrounding cities; families or a party of gentlemen can obtain first-class table and attendance, with airy rooms, singly or en suite, for the Summer months. [illegible] within five minutes' walk of either Wall-st. or Fulton Ferry.

A STRICTLY PRIVATE FAMILY, in 18th-st., near 5th-av., wish to rent to a single gentleman a double room, elegantly furnished and furnished, with gas, hot and cold water, &c.; breakfast if desired. Address P., Box No. 107 Times Office.

HANDSOME ROOMS TO LET IN A strictly private house, to gentlemen, without board. Only those willing to pay liberally for an elegant home need apply at No. 7 East 9th-st., corner of University-place.

NO. 275 4TH-AV., NEARLY OPPOSITE Calvary Church, two bright, cheerful rooms, together or separately, in private family; modern conveniences; home comforts; private table if desired; moderate terms. References.

NO. 301 4TH-AV., NEAR 23D-ST.—A second floor, furnished, to let, with board, to a gentleman and wife or party of gentlemen. References exchanged. Apply one week.

NO. 41 WEST 24TH-ST.—ONE LARGE, handsomely furnished room and one small room, on fourth floor to let, with board; also one suite on second floor. Reference.

NO. 17 WEST 12TH-ST., BETWEEN 5th and 6th avs.—New and handsomely-furnished rooms, with all the modern improvements, to let to gentlemen only, without board; references exchanged.

NO. 31 MADISON-AV.—BOARD—SECOND floor; also rooms on third and fourth floors, to families and gentlemen, at greatly reduced rates. Transient or otherwise.

NO. 224 EAST 12TH-ST.—SECOND floor, front room, suitable for a gentleman or gentleman and wife; with or without board; location desirable; references required.

A PRIVATE FAMILY OCCUPYING No. 50 West 48th-st. will let, with board, whole or part of second floor, elegantly furnished, to desirable party; house full size and in complete order.

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FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET ON second floor, to single gentlemen, in private family, at No. 42 East 18th-st., between Broadway and 4th-av.; reference exchanged.

TO LET—IN A PRIVATE FAMILY, SECOND and third floors, furnished, en suite or singly, to gentlemen; house first-class in every particular; references required. Call at No. 112 East 19th-st.

TO LET—TO GENTLEMEN WITHOUT board, a nicely-furnished, large or small room, on second floor; good reference required. Apply at No. 73 Amity-st.

NO. 137 WEST 47TH-ST., NEAR BROADWAY.—A private family have handsome furnished rooms to let, with board or private table; references required.

TO LET—FIRST-CLASS FURNISHED rooms to single gentlemen, at No. 164 Fifth-av. Apply on the premises.

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FIRST-CLASS COUNTRY BOARD AT a large, convenient and beautifully located farm-house in Berkshire County, Mass. Parties seeking mountain air, good table and agreeable surroundings, will give this immediate attention. Apply for particulars to S. R. GOODALE, Nos. 7 and 9 West 23d-st., Fifth-avenue Hotel.

THE HEALTHIEST, COOLEST AND most delightful spot in New-Jersey for families to board in, on Jane's Mountain. Fine views, pure air, splendid water and good table at moderate prices. Address FRANCIS OLIVER, Basking Ridge, N. J., or call on I. H. ARCHER, No. 4 Warren-st., Room 15.

COUNTRY BOARD.—I AM PREPARED to accommodate about thirty with good board in the Catskill Mountains, fifteen miles from Catskill; stages running daily to and from my place; price $8. JACOB CRAFT, South Durham, Greene County, N. Y.

EXCELLENT COUNTRY BOARD AT Norwalk, in a large comfortably-furnished house, delightfully situated, overlooking Long Island Sound; near depot; fruits and vegetables in abundance. Address Box No. 374 South Norwalk, Conn.

COUNTRY BOARD FROM 1ST OF June.—[illegible], [illegible] miles from City, opposite Hyde Park, two miles from river. Delightful [illegible]. Address H. R., Esopus, New-York.

COUNTRY BOARD—ON THE SHREWSBURY River, near Long Branch; first-class board, good bathing and boating; also a small cottage on the lawn, with private table. Apply to JARVIE, SMITH & CO., No. 170 Broadway.

BOARD AT WEST POINT, FOR May and June, of the season. Address A. KEARNS, Sr., Highland Falls, Orange County, N. Y.

BOARD AT CORNWALL—THE HOUSE open from May 1. JAMES G. ROE.

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TAPPAN ZEE HOUSE,
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This attractive Summer resort will be open July 1 for an unexceptionable class of boarders. For particulars address Rev. L. D. MANSFIELD, Proprietor.

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FORMERLY STETSON HOUSE,
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THE FORT WILLIAM HENRY HOTEL will be opened for Summer visitors June 1; persons wishing to engage rooms will please address "The Arlington," at Washington, D. C., or "Fort William Henry Hotel," Lake George. Drawing-room cars by Hudson River Railroad, going through without change. T. ROESSLE & SON, Proprietors.

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COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

THE COPARTNERSHIP UNDER THE name of W. J. SYMS & BROTHER has been this day dissolved, SAMUEL R. SYMS withdrawing therefrom.

The business of the firm will be settled by WILLIAM J. SYMS, at No. 300 Broadway.

NEW-YORK, May 16, 1870.

AMUSEMENTS.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

GRAND ITALIAN OPERA.

THIS (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON, May 21, GRAND GALA MATINEE.

KELLOGG, [illegible]

CARRANICA, [illegible] and BRIGNOLI, in

IL TROVATORE.

MONDAY EVENING, May 23,

Miss KELLOGG and Signor LA FRANCE,

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TUESDAY, May 24, most positively, UN BALLO IN MASCHERA.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, May 25, POSITIVELY LAST OPERA NIGHT.

Prices as usual. Admission to Matinee, $1; reserved seats, 50 cents extra. Seats can be secured at the Academy, Schirmer's, No. 701, and Nos. 114 and 944 Broadway.

THURSDAY, May 26—BROOKLYN ACADEMY.

BOOTH'S THEATER.

Twenty-third-st., between 5th and 6th avs.

FIFTH WEEK.

EVERY EVENING DURING THE WEEK, Mr. JOHN S. CLARKE will appear as YOUNG GOSLING.

In the comedy, in three acts, by J. B. Stockton and the late William [illegible], entitled FOX vs. GOOSE.

(Performed one hundred nights in London.)

And will also appear in the comic drama, in two acts, by Frederick Hay, called LOST AT SHORE.

Which will be performed for the first time on any stage. Both plays will be presented with new and appropriate scenery, properties, &c.

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In active preparation, a ROMANTIC DRAMA.

Seats secured SIX DAYS IN ADVANCE, at the box-office of the theater, or at the branch ticket-office, at the music-store of C. H. Ditson & Co., No. 711 Broadway.

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MUSIC CONSISTING OF 150 INSTRUMENTS.

Conductor......MAX MARETZEK.

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ANNUAL CONCERT

FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE WIDOWS AND ORPHANS

Of the American Musical Fund Society, SATURDAY EVENING, May 21, at 8 o'clock, ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

Mme. MANZOCCHI, Miss MEHLIG, Mr. MILLS, Mr. MOLLENHAUER, ARION SOCIETY, HERR CARL BERGMANN, THEODORE THOMAS, and a GRAND ORCHESTRA. Tickets, $1; reserved seats, 50 cents extra. At all principal music-stores, and at the Academy of Music on the evening of the concert.

D. L. DOWNING, President.

S. LASAR, Chairman of Committee.

POPULAR PROMENADE CONCERT,

ASSOCIATION HALL, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, MAY 21, 1870, At 3 o'clock.

Mrs. IMOGEN BROWN, Soprano. EBEN'S FULL ORCHESTRA.

Selections from Orpheus, Faust, Strauss, Suppe, De Beriot, Rossini, Meyerbeer.

Doors open at 2. Concert at 3 o'clock. Admission, 25 cents.

EDWARD PAYSON WESTON,

THE GREAT AMERICAN WALKER, Will undertake the stupendous feat of WALKING 100 MILES INSIDE TWENTY-TWO CONSECUTIVE HOURS, FOR A PURSE OF $2,500, AT THE EMPIRE CITY SKATING RINK, 3D-AV. AND 63D-ST., ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 25, 1870. GRAND PROMENADE CONCERT, BOTH AFTERNOON AND EVENING, by the EMPIRE CITY RINK FULL MILITARY BAND. Admission 50 cents. Front seats reserved for ladies and gentlemen accompanying them. Admission for children in the afternoon, 25 cents.

PLYMOUTH ORGAN CONCERTS,

No. 45.—PLYMOUTH CHURCH, BROOKLYN.

CONCERTS EVERY SATURDAY. From 4 to 5 P. M. Doors open at 3½.

Mr. EUGENE THAYER, of Boston, Organist. Mr. W. S. LEGGATT, Tenor, and Mr. W. A. M. DILLER, Accompanist. TODAY. Admission, 15 cents.

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8:00 A. M., Chicago express, drawing-room cars attached.
10:30 A. M., [illegible], drawing-room car express for Chicago.
11:00 A. M., Northern and Western express, drawing-room cars attached.
4:00 P. M., Montreal express; drawing-room cars attached.
6:00 P. M., Pacific express, with sleeping-cars through to Chicago without change, via M. C. R. R.; also L. S. and M. S. R. R. (daily.)
11:00 P. M., Night express; sleeping cars attached.
2:00 P. M., Hudson train.
7:00 A. M. and 5 P. M., Poughkeepsie trains.
9:45 A. M., 4:15 and 6:15 P. M., Peekskill trains.
5:30 and 7:10 P. M., Sing Sing trains.
6:30, 7:10, 8:30, 10 and 11:50 A. M., 1:30, 3, 4:25, 5:10, 8 and 11:30 P. M., Yonkers trains.
(9:00 A. M., Sunday train for Poughkeepsie.)

WM. H. VANDERBILT, Vice-President.
NEW-YORK, May 2, 1870.

NEW-YORK AND HARLEM RAILROAD.

On and after MONDAY next, May 23, 1870, two express trains will leave depot corner of 26th-st. and 4th-av., as follows:

10½ A. M.—Railroad express.
3½ P. M.—Montreal express.

Sleeping-coaches on night trains between New-York City and St. Albans, Vt.

J. C. BUCKHOUT, Superintendent.

ERIE RAILWAY.—TRAINS LEAVE DEpots foot of Chambers-st. and foot of 23d-st., as follows:

Through Express Trains leave Chambers-st. at 8 A. M., 10 A. M., 5:30 P. M. and 7 P. M. daily. Leave 23d-st. at 7:45 A. M., 9:45 A. M., and 5:15 and 6:45 P. M. daily. New and improved drawing-room coaches will accompany the 10 A. M. train through to Buffalo, connecting at Hornellsville with magnificent sleeping-coaches running through to Cleveland and Galion. Sleeping-coaches will accompany the 8 A. M. train from Susquehanna to Buffalo; the 5:30 P. M. train from New-York to Buffalo, and the 7 P. M. train from New-York to Rochester, Buffalo and Cincinnati. An Emigrant train leaves daily at 7:30 P. M.

For Port Jervis and Way, *11:30 A. M. and 4:30 P. M. (23d-st. *11:15 A. M. and 4:15 P. M.)

For Middletown and Way, at 3:30 P. M. (23d-st. 3:15 P. M.); and Sundays only, 8:30 A. M. (23d-st. 8:15 A. M.)

For Graycourt and Way, at *8:30 A. M. (23d-st. *8:15 A. M.)

For Newburg and Way, at 8 A. M., 3:30 and 4:30 P. M. (23d-st. 7:45 A. M., 3:15 and 4:15 P. M.)

For Suffern and Way, 5 and 6 P. M. (23d-st. 4:45 and 5:45 P. M.) Theater train, *11:30 P. M. (23d-st. *11 P. M.)

For Paterson and Way, from Twenty-third-street Depot, at 6:45, 10:15 and 11:45 A. M.; *1:45, 3:45, 5:15 and 6:45 P. M. From Chambers-street Depot, at 6:45, 10:15 A. M.; 12 M.; *1:45, 4, 5:15 and 6:45 P. M.

For Hackensack and Hillsdale, from Twenty-third-street Depot, at 8:45 and 11:45 A. M.; †3:45, 5:15, 5:45, and 6:45 P. M. From Chambers-street Depot, 9 A. M.; 12 M.; †3:45, 5:15, 6 and 6:45 P. M.

For Piermont, Monsey and Way, from Twenty-third-street Depot, at 8:45 A. M.; 12:45, †3:15, 4:15, 5:15 and 6:15 P. M.; and Saturdays only, †12 midnight. From Chambers-street Depot, at 9 A. M.; 1, †3:30, 4:15, 5 and 6:30 P. M.; Saturdays only, †12 midnight.

Tickets for passage and for apartments in drawing-room and sleeping-coaches can be obtained, and orders for the checking and transfer of baggage may be left at the Company's offices, Nos. 241, 529 and 957 Broadway, No. 205 Chambers-st., corner of 125th-st. and 3d-av., Harlem, No. 338 Fulton-st., Brooklyn; depots foot of Chambers-st. and foot of 23d-st., New-York; No. 3 Exchange-place, and Long Dock Depot, Jersey City; and of the agents at the principal hotels.

L. D. RUCKER, General Superintendent. WM. R. BARR, Gen'l Pass'r Agent.

MAY 2, 1870.

* Daily. † For Hackensack only. ‡ For Piermont only.

SOUTH SIDE RAILROAD OF LONG ISLAND.—Winter Arrangement.—On and after Oct. 18, the trains will leave the Roosevelt and Grand st. Ferries as follows: 8:45 A. M., mail and passenger for Patchogue; 10 A. M., for Merrick; 3:30 P. M., express to Patchogue; 4:30 P. M., accommodation to Islip, on Saturdays through to Patchogue; 6:30 P. M. for Merrick, on Saturdays through to Babylon. All trains connect at Valley Stream, except the Merrick late and early trains.

C. W. DOUGLAS, Superintendent.

AMUSEMENTS.

WALLACK'S.

Proprietor and Manager......Mr. LESTER WALLACK.

THIS SATURDAY MATINEE, AT 1 P. M., LAST MATINEE OF THE LANCERS.

THIS EVENING will be presented the fine MILITARY DRAMA, IN THREE ACTS, by Capt. Leicester Vernon, entitled THE LANCERS. WITH NEW MUSIC, NEW SCENERY, NEW UNIFORMS AND COSTUMES, NEW APPOINTMENTS, AND A POWERFUL DISTRIBUTION, embracing the PRINCIPAL MEMBERS OF THE COMPANY.

ACT I. THE GOLDEN SUN—VIEW OF DISTANT COUNTRY NEAR AMIENS. BOOT AND SADDLE.

ACT II. SALON IN MME. DUVERNAY'S HOUSE. THE QUARREL AND ITS RESULT.

ACT III. THE COLONEL'S QUARTERS. DENOUEMENT.

MONDAY, May 23, first time this season, Douglas Jerrold's play, THE RENT DAY, and the comedietta of IS HE JEALOUS?

TUESDAY—THE LOVE CHASE.

WEDNESDAY—AMERICANS IN PARIS and TRYING IT ON.

THURSDAY—THE RENT DAY and IS HE JEALOUS?

FRIDAY—AMERICANS IN PARIS and TRYING IT ON.

SATURDAY MATINEE—THE LOVE CHASE.

SATURDAY EVENING—Last time, THE LANCERS.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

Corner 23d-st. and 8th-av.

ONE HUNDREDTH NIGHT of the great spectacular romance, the TEMPTATIONS, illustrated by the

FINEST BALLET, FINEST COSTUMES, FINEST VOCAL TALENT, FINEST ARTISTS, FINEST MUSIC, FINEST SCENIC EFFECTS, FINEST MECHANICAL APPLIANCES, FINEST TRANSFORMATION and FINEST DRAMATIC TEMPLE IN THE WORLD.

EVERY NIGHT AND SATURDAY MATINEE.

Seats secured ten days in advance, at the box-office; also at Schirmer's, No. 701 Broadway, and Erie Railway ticket-office, corner 23d-st. and Broadway.

OLYMPIC THEATER.

MATINEE AT 2. MATINEE AT 2.

TWO PERFORMANCES THIS DAY of the popular and successful MRS. JAS. A. OATES'S BURLESQUE COMPANY, in the Fairy Extravaganza adapted expressly for the troupe, entitled, THE FAIR ONE WITH THE BLONDE WIG.

NEW SCENERY, NEW MUSIC, NEW COSTUMES, NEW EFFECTS.

Presenting in their excellent performance, choice selections from the GRAND OPERA to the BROADEST BURLESQUE, the drolleries of which are never allowed to lapse into dullness for the lack of variety. This troupe was originally organized in Chicago, February, 1869. Since then have played successful engagements in the West and South.

MATINEES WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY AT 2.

Seats secured TWO WEEKS in advance.

FIFTH-AVENUE THEATER.

TO-NIGHT, 80TH TIME of FROU FROU.

The last "Frou Frou" Matinee SATURDAY, at 1. MONDAY, May 23, benefit of Mr. D. H. HARKINS, and last performance of FROU FROU this season.

THE GOOD-NATURED MAN will be revived on TUESDAY, May 24, for the first time in 50 years, with magnificent surroundings.

THE FRENCH THEATER. FECHTER.

NO PERFORMANCE TODAY.

Owing to grand dress rehearsal of the CORSICAN BROTHERS, which will be produced MONDAY EVENING, MAY 23. FECHTER in his great roles of DEI FRANCHI. Miss LECLERCQ as EMILIE DE LESPARE. NOTICE.—Mr. FECHTER will conclude the present engagement with this impersonation, and will appear in NO OTHER CHARACTER.

WOOD'S MUSEUM AND MENAGERIE.

Successor to Barnum's, Broadway, corner 30th-st.

OPEN EVERY DAY AND EVENING. EVERY DAY AT 2. EVENING AT 8. FIELD OF CLOTH OF GOLD.

Next MONDAY a new sensation drama entitled THE WITCHES OF NEW-YORK.

BOWERY THEATER.

GRAND MATINEE at 2 o'clock, AFTERNOON and EVENING. Last appearance of Miss MINNIE WELLS. Last time of the LION OF NUBIA, NICK OF THE WOODS, SIAMESE TWINS.

THE GRAND TOURNAMENTS

AT THE PROSPECT PARK FAIR GROUNDS.

Under the supervision of a Committee of thirty members of the Association, will take place on SATURDAY, May 21, and TUESDAY, 24th.

Many of the Knights from Virginia, Maryland, Alabama, Kentucky, District of Columbia and Canada are already on the ground and practicing for the tilt. The Knights of New-York and Brooklyn are also engaged in practicing every afternoon with their visitors from abroad.

A limited number of tickets will be sold for admission to the Club-house. Members desiring them for their friends may make application to the Committee, at the office of the Association, No. 10 Montague-st., Brooklyn. Tickets for gentlemen, $10; no charge for ladies. In accordance with the rules of the Association, gentlemen residing thirty miles from the City will be admitted to the Club-house for $5 each.

Admission to the field, $1; to the grand stand, $2, [illegible]; no extra charge for ladies accompanying them to the grand stand.

Tickets may be had at the office of Gelsler's Financial Bulletin, No. 41 Broad-st., New-York, on and after Thursday, 19th inst. As only a limited number for the grand stand will be sold, early application should be made. The tilting is to commence at 12 o'clock, each Knight in costume riding at the ring three times. The finest display of horsemanship in the world may be expected. The prizes to be contended for are two very valuable riding horses handsomely equipped, and two of Ball, Black & Co.'s (No. 565 Broadway) celebrated gold time-keepers; also costly shirt-studs and sleeve-buttons. The Coney Island Railroad Company have given notice that they can carry 10,000 passengers to the grounds. Cars leave Fulton Ferry.

CENTRAL PARK GARDEN.

EVERY NIGHT, THEODORE THOMAS' POPULAR CONCERTS.

BANKRUPT NOTICES.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of HENRY T. SKILLEN, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—A warrant in bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the estate of Henry T. Skillen, of the County of New-York, of the State of New-York, in said district, adjudged a bankrupt upon the petition of his creditors, and the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him or to his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at No. 152 Broadway, in the City of New-York, in said district, on the 31st day of May, A. D. 1870, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the office of Mr. Henry Wilder Allen, one of the Registers in Bankruptcy of said Court. GEORGE H. SHARPE, Marshal—Messenger.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of CALEB BARSTOW, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—A warrant in bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the estate of Caleb Barstow, of the County of New-York, of the State of New-York, in said district, adjudged a bankrupt upon the petition of his creditors, and the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him or to his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at No. 7 Beekman-st., New-York City, in said district, on the 20th day of May, A. D. 1870, at 12 o'clock M., at the office of Mr. Isaac Dayton, [illegible] one of the Registers in Bankruptcy of said Court. GEORGE H. SHARPE, Marshal—Messenger.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of M. DE SATRUSTEGUI, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—Southern District of New-York, ss.:—At the City of New-York, the 5th day of May, 1870.—Before Isaac Dayton, Register in Bankruptcy.—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate and effects of M. de Satrustegui, of the City of New-York, in said district, who was, on the 26th day of March, A. D. 1870, adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition, by the District Court of the United States for the said Southern District of New-York. FELICIANO LATASA, Assignee in Bankruptcy, No. 173 Pearl-st.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of WILLIAM SELDEN and GEORGE W. HOOKER, bankrupts.—In Bankruptcy.—Before John Fitch, Register.—To whom it may concern: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate of William Selden and George W. Hooker, of New-York City, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, within said district, who have been adjudged bankrupts upon their own petition by the District Court of said district.—Dated at New-York City, the 11th day of May, A. D. 1870. JOSIAH H. BURTON, Assignee.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States, for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of WILLIAM SPITZER and DAVID LICHTENSTADT, bankrupts.—In Bankruptcy.—Before John Fitch, Register.—To whom it may concern: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate of William Spitzer and David Lichtenstadt, of New-York, in the County of New-York, and State of New-York, within said district, who have been adjudged bankrupts upon their own petition by the District Court of said district.—Dated at New-York City, the 11th day of April, A. D. 1870. J. H. CARRINGTON, Assignee.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

MANUFACTORY AT GREENPOINT FOR SALE.—The brick buildings, 50x100 feet, corner of Union-av. and Box-st., together with the lease, boiler, engine, and all the machinery in running order, for sale at $15,000, or to rent for five years at $2,500 per annum, insurance and taxes. Particulars from HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

WANTED—TO SELL AN OLD MILK route, first-class. Also, horse and wagon. Retails 240 quarts of milk per day—together with a first-class store. Apply at No. 21 Essex-st.

FOR SALE—THE STOCK, FIXTURES AND lease of the old established jewelry store, No. 225 Bowery; one of the best locations in the City. For further particulars apply at the store.

THE MOUNT HOPE TRAGEDY.

The Wife-Murderer Halloran Convicted—His Probable Sentence.

The trial of THOMAS HALLORAN for the murder of his wife, was concluded in the Morris County Court of Oyer and Terminer yesterday. The counsel for the defense, J. VANAKA, Esq., began his summing up upon the opening of the Court, and made an able effort in behalf of the prisoner, which consumed two hours. The defense consisted of a general denial that Mrs. HALLORAN came to her death from the blows inflicted by the prisoner; that he had beaten her was admitted, but that the evidence proved the fatal result from the blow, or that the wounds were even of a nature to cause death was denied. The counsel for the defense demanded of the Court that the evidence of Drs. KING and CUMMINGS, who made the autopsy of the body, should be ruled out, as no evidence was offered to prove that the body so dissected was the body of BRIDGET HALLORAN. The evidence of MARY HALLORAN, the prisoner's child, ten years of age, who alone witnessed the blow, was also objected to by the counsel, who claimed that the child had been "put up" to the story she told, which was full of contradictions. District-Attorney MILLS commenced his closing speech at 11 o'clock, and made a protracted argument for conviction.

Judge DALRYMPLE charged the jury, after which they retired for deliberation. During the absence of the jury, the prisoner showed for the first time anything approaching to nervousness. With every entrance into the Court-room he glanced eagerly at the door, and when, after an absence of an hour, the jury re-entered, he evidently felt the importance to him of their verdict. The foreman in a firm voice pronounced the verdict, which was murder in the second degree, and on the calling of each juror's name, every man gave the verdict of guilty. The prisoner by this time had recovered his usual composure, and smiled as the verdict was pronounced. He will be sentenced on Monday week. The law of this State allows a person punishment of not less than five nor more than twenty years in the State Prison. It is believed he will receive a sentence of fifteen years. By the courtesy of Sheriff BRIANT, our representative was admitted to the cell of the convict. HALLORAN expressed himself as regretful that he was not to be hung. He would prefer that, he declared, to the horrors of the coming years. From his conversation, it appears that he is a man of some means, owning a good deal of property about Mount Hope. He says he was worth from $5,000 to $6,000 when he was arrested.

CONTRABAND CIGARS.

Seizure of 30,000 Havana Cigars—Probable Libel of the Steamer Missouri.

The members of Col. WHITLEY's secret service force have been actively engaged for some time past in ferreting out the operations of cigar smugglers, and have, in consequence, caused lively consternation among a large number of Havana and Matanzas steam-ship men, who have heretofore enjoyed comparative safety in their schemes for bringing costly and fragrant cigars into this port without payment of import duty. For some time the detectives were foiled in their efforts to detect the offenders in any actual offense against the Government, so carefully and systematically were the smuggling plans carried out. Recently, however, they succeeded in making several important arrests, and in confiscating several thousand dollar's worth of contraband cigars, besides communicating information to Collector GRINNELL, which led to the seizure of the steamers *Columbia* and *Cleopatra*, on a charge of having been used for smuggling purposes.

Yesterday WILLIAM D. HEMPSTEAD, Purser of the steamer *Missouri*, running between this City and Cuba, was arrested on complaint of one of Col. WHITLEY's deputies, for having, it was alleged, assisted in introducing smuggled cigars into New-York. It was claimed that about 1,000 loose and unstamped cigars had been found in his room at a search which was held on the previous evening. They were taken from drawers having false bottoms, under which they were concealed. It was reported that upward of 30,000 smuggled cigars, of which a large number were of the Henry Clay and Florida de Fuma brands, had been discovered on the vessel. Some of them were taken from false bulkheads and false scuttles. A large quantity was, it is said, secreted in bags under a heap of coal and wood in the hold of the steamer. The entire lot was seized, and was placed in charge of two officers. The room occupied by one of the mates was sealed up to wait further inspection. It is understood that there is some likelihood of the *Missouri's* being seized and libeled by the Federal authorities. HEMPSTEAD was held by Commissioner OSBORN in $1,000 bail to appear for examination on Monday next.

A Man Struck Dead by Lightning—A Railroad Depot Partially Destroyed.

A severe thunder-storm passed over this City yesterday morning, a little after daybreak. It was accompanied by very sharp flashes of lightning, which did no damage hereabouts, so far as we have heard. In New-Jersey, however, one man was killed and a boy was seriously injured. ROBERT MERRYFIELD, a farmer, living on the Bound Brook road, a few miles from New-Brunswick, was instantly killed by a stroke of lightning. Mr. MERRYFIELD was at work on the road, near his house, in building a fence, and was accompanied by a boy, who assisted him. When the shock came they were about ten feet apart. Both were thrown down, Mr. MERRYFIELD being instantly killed. The boy was stunned, and continued for some time insensible. The body of the unfortunate man and that of the boy were taken up, and were removed to the house where the grief-stricken widow and children were. No effort that could be made, although many expedients were tried, could restore the husband and father to life. The boy recovered his senses after an hour of unconsciousness, but he was last evening reported to be still in a precarious condition. The depot at the Springtown station, on the New-Jersey Central Railroad, was partially destroyed by lightning at about the time this sad accident occurred. It was also reported in New-Brunswick last evening that the house of Mr. JOHN REYNOLDS, beyond Bound Brook, was thrown down, and that one of the inmates was seriously injured. The truth of the report could not be ascertained.

Children's Aid Society—Statistics of the Last Month.

The regular monthly meeting of the trustees of the Children's Aid Society was held on Wednesday evening, the President, WM. A. BOOTH, Esq., in the chair, C. L. Brace, Esq., Secretary. Present, Messrs. Wm. A. Booth, R. J. Livingston, Judge Kirkland, Charles E. Whitehead, C. L. Brace, Benjamin J. Howland and G. Cabot Ward.

Reports from the different departments and agents of the Society were received, showing the month's work of the Society as follows:

Two hundred and seventeen persons—26 men, 31 women, 125 boys and 35 girls—were provided with homes and employments—mostly in Western States.

The daily average attendance at the twenty Industrial Schools was 2,316.

At the Newsboys' Lodging-house, No. 49 Park-place, the nightly average attendance had been 170; 5,083 lodgings and 5,118 meals had been given out; forty-nine boys were provided with places. The boys contributed $418 toward the expenses, and 160 boys saved $232 91 in the bank of the institution. The Girls' Lodging-house, No. 125 Bleecker-street, admitted 104 girls during the month, furnished 946 lodgings and 2,249 meals; nineteen girls were provided with places, and thirteen restored to their friends and families. In the sewing-machine class sixty-four girls were instructed to operate, making the total number of girls taught since the opening in November, 155.

The Eleventh Ward Lodging-house, No. 709 East Eleventh-street, furnished 1,097 lodgings and 1,363 meals. Admitted 55 different boys.

The Sixteenth-street Lodging-house, No. 211 West Sixteenth-street, admitted 106 different boys; nightly average attendance, 80; number of lodgings furnished, 2,400; meals supplied, 2,734. Four boys were provided with places, and four were restored to their friends.

The Phelps Lodging-house, No. 327 Rivington-street, averaged 73 lodgers nightly, furnished 2,174 lodgings and 1,930 meals, registered 95 different boys, of whom 41 were orphans, 21 half orphans and 18 had parents living, 58 were able to read and write, 5 read only, and 17 could neither read nor write. The youngest was eight years old and the oldest eighteen.

Horrible Outrage in Union County, N. J.

The negro who outraged a colored girl named HAGAR SMITH, near Morse's Mills, in Union County, N. J., has been arrested and committed to the jail in Elizabeth. The girl states that the negro attacked her in MAYO's woods, while she was returning to her home from the store; that he kept her all night, tied to a tree, robbed her of all the money she had, and threatened to pour turpentine upon her and burn her to death. A bottle of turpentine was in the basket which she was carrying home from the store, and the negro was only prevented from putting his threat into execution by his failure to find a match. When morning arrived he untied the girl and let her go, threatening to murder her if she betrayed him.

The negro was arrested by Chief KEEON, of Elizabeth, after a long chase in the country. He gave his name as WILLIAM HENRY, but was identified as GEORGE ALBERT. He had been employed by Mr. JOB WINANS, and was well known in the neighborhood.

Domestic Infelicity in Newark.

Yesterday morning Mr. GEORGE R. SNYDER, a young man engaged in the livery business in Newark, was arrested and taken before Justice NUGENT upon a charge of wife desertion. He was married about eighteen months ago to Miss ELSTON, the daughter of Mr. L. O. ELSTON, of Irvington. They lived happily until, in the month of January last, SNYDER persuaded his wife to go home to her father's house for a few weeks. While there she received letters from her husband, informing her that he would not support her, and that she must not call herself his wife. She went to Newark to see him, begging him not to desert her and her child, but was met with brutal treatment. After months spent in trying to persuade her husband to take her back, the young wife procured a warrant for his arrest. He was held to bail for trial.

Miss Edith O'Gorman on Convent Life and the Roman School System—An Interruption and a Scene.

Miss EDITH O'GORMAN delivered the third of a series of lectures at the Cooper Institute last evening, on "Convent Life and the Roman School System," before a large audience, among whom were a few Roman Catholics. The lecturer graphically described her experience of the convent life, and the immoralities perpetrated under the cloak and in the name of religion. With others who have been beguiled by the hypocrisy and plausibility of priests and nuns, she herself was induced to enter a monastic life in the expectation of fully coming into communion with Christ, but how bitterly was she disappointed! She found, after a short experience, that in the convent all the passions, emotions and feelings to be found in the sex were fully developed, and under the peculiar circumstances in which they were placed, they were developed to their shame and degradation. They were wedded to a celestial spouse, but they preferred a terrestrial one, and she knew of one instance in which six nuns were in love with one priest. Being bound to the doctrine of passive obedience, the nun makes known to her confessor the most secret thoughts and the very impulses of her being, and in the confessional are propounded to her questions which under other circumstances would be resented as flagrant insults. The opinions and advice of her confessor, which she regards as the oracles of God, steadily undermine her feelings of morality and Christian womanhood, until finally she becomes the pitiable victim of a black-hearted betrayer. In the convent she is exposed to the love-making of priests inflated with wine, who are such adepts in the ways of deceit that through the mask of confession they ruin even the virtue of married women and unsuspecting young girls. Miss O'GORMAN then referred to the movement for the exclusion of the Bible from the schools, an attempt which she characterized as another Jesuitical device to destroy free Protestant institutions. In conclusion she encouraged firmness in encountering Roman ingenuity, which endangered a nation's existence wherever it raised its head.

During Miss O'GORMAN's address an elderly lady, who pronounced herself a Roman Catholic, advanced from her seat toward the platform and interrupted her by asking a question bearing on the truth of her statements. A scene of confusion and disorder immediately arose, and cries of "turn her out" were heard from all parts of the hall. The policeman quietly ordered her out, but she remonstrated, insisted and resisted and finally was forced outside the doors crying "It's all a lie." With this exception the lecture passed off very quietly.

Aid for the Richmond Sufferers.

The Committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce to collect funds in aid of the sufferers by the recent calamity at Richmond acknowledge, through Mr. HENRY CLEWS, Treasurer, the following additional subscriptions:

Sun Printing and Publishing Association	$500	O. D. Swan & Co.	$100
Cash	50	Cash	5
Cash	10	Cash	100
Cash	10	R. L. Cutting, Jr., & Co.	100
Cash	10	Cash	100
Cash	10	Cash	100
L. Kountze	10	Kent & Co.	50
Cash	10	S. W. Hopkins & Co.	100
Cash	10	Jas. Cruikshank	5
Boyd Bros. & Hobson	25	Hallgarten & Co.	50
Cash	20		
Oelrichs & Co.	50	Total	$1,425
Cash	10	Previously reported	5,[illegible]
Grand total			$6,[illegible]

HENRY CLEWS, Treasurer.

Violating the Election Law.

Officer O'CONNOR, of the Nineteenth Precinct, had JAMES THOMPSON arraigned at the Yorkville Police Court, before Justice BIXBY, yesterday, on a charge of leading up a gang of men to the poll in the Fourteenth Election District of the Nineteenth Ward, on Tuesday, and inducing them to vote, they having no residence in the Ward. The inspectors of election and poll clerks were examined, and their testimony would lead to the belief that the accused was entirely innocent of all attempt to violate the Election law. The Judge said he had no doubt but the innocence of the accused would be satisfactorily established, but as the officer had some more witnesses to produce, he would adjourn the examination until to-day.

LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

NEW-YORK.

A second meeting of paper manufacturers of the Eastern and Middle States was held yesterday at the store of MANAHAN & MILLAR, No. 10 Spruce-street, for the purpose of organizing an association to regulate the supply and price of paper. WELLINGTON CAMPBELL, of Milburn, N. J., presided. An Executive Committee was appointed consisting of the following gentlemen: James B. McNamar, Colbrook, Conn.; Thomas Ewing, Elwood, N. Y.; H. B. Meeker, Fort Edward, N. Y.; E. B. Graham, Sanquit, N. Y.; and W. W. Smith, Seymour, Conn. About 150 manufacturers were present. The Committee are to draft resolutions and a constitution and by-laws, which are to be acted upon at the next meeting. The meeting adjourned subject to the call of the Secretary.

Major-Gen. NEWTON has gone to Rouse's Point, at the head of Lake Champlain, on the Canada line, to inspect Fort Montgomery, which has just been turned over to his care. The harbor improvements at Burlington, on the lake, have also been assigned to his department. The General's operations at Hell Gate are retarded from lack of funds, though the blasting at Hallett's Point continues. An impression prevails that the channel rocks might be "lifted" after the fashion of Blossom Rock in San Francisco Bay; but the explosion of twenty-three tons of powder in the confined limits of the Gate and within a short distance of many buildings would be a "blast from Hell" Gate not relished in the neighborhood. Prof. MAILLEFERT is still trying to get some money from the Government for what he has done, and is also applying for an extension of his contract.

The deaf mutes of the asylum at Washington Heights gave an entertainment at the institution, on Thursday evening, for the benefit of the library of their literary society. Two humorous plays were presented, the well-known "Robert Macaire" and "The Four Lovers," rendered, of course, in pure pantomime. The mute players succeeded in making the plots intelligible to the audience, who showed a lively interest in the exhibition. The performance this season was not quite equal in merit to that of last year.

The Mt. Vernon Soldiers' Aid Society earnestly solicits the aid of our citizens, especially that of the G. A. R., in the work of relieving the wants of the disabled soldiers of the late war. The Society suggests that all persons having charge of the ceremonies on the 30th of May, call upon the citizens to contribute for the benefit of the Society. The Society invites all clergymen to cause a collection to be taken in each church on Sunday, the 29th day of May.

Mr. OLIVER DYER will lecture at the Unity Chapel, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth-street and Fourth-avenue, Harlem, to-morrow (Sunday) evening, on "The Philosophy of Salvation by Faith." Lecture to commence at 7½ o'clock.

The funeral services of the late Dr. JAMES HYSLOP took place at 4 P. M. yesterday, at the South Dutch Church, corner of Fifth-avenue and Twenty-first-street. It was largely attended by the friends of the family and members of the profession, of which Dr. HYSLOP was a bright ornament.

The steamer *Erin*, of Liverpool, arrived in the Lower Bay on Thursday, with several hundred emigrant passengers in the steerage, among whom was a little girl, aged thirteen years, who was found to be afflicted with the varioloid. She was removed to the hospital at Ward's Island. The vessel was detained at Quarantine, and was thoroughly fumigated by direction of the Health Officer. None of her passengers showed any symptoms of small-pox. She will probably be relieved today.

The number of foreign steam-ship arrivals during the week has been unprecedentedly large. Thirteen have already arrived and ten more are expected today.

Mr. AUGUSTIN DALY, manager of the Fifth-avenue Theater, entertained a select number of his friends, together with the leading artists of his troupe, at a dinner last evening given at the St. James Hotel, in celebration of the one hundredth performance of "Frou Frou."

JOHN DORAN, of No. 337 East Eleventh-street, at an early hour yesterday morning reported at the Seventeenth Precinct Station-house that he had been stabbed in the right side in an affray on the previous night at Landmann's Hamilton Park, Sixty-ninth-street and Third-avenue. His wound, which was not serious, was dressed at the Central Police Office, after which he was taken home.

HENRY PHALON, of No. 2,266 Third-avenue, was drowned on Sunday evening in the East River, near Ward's Island. With two companions he was endeavoring to go from Ward's Island to Blackwell's Island in a small boat, but being caught by a strong tide, the boat was upset by unskillful rowing, and all being thrown into the water; the other two swam ashore, but PHALON was drowned. The body has not been recovered.

At the Jefferson Market Police Court, yesterday, before Justice SHANDLEY, JOHN HIGGINS, a person of no fixed residence, was charged with feloniously assaulting THOMAS LYNCH by stabbing him with a knife in the side. From the evidence of THOMAS ROGAN, No. 86 Greenwich-street, it appeared that LYNCH was standing between Houston and Clarkson streets, on Thursday afternoon, when the prisoner, who was under the influence of drink, approached him, and without any provocation stabbed him in the side and head with a large knife. A medical certificate was produced, stating that LYNCH was in a precarious condition, and the prisoner was remanded to await the result.

A regular meeting of the Working Men's Union was held last evening at their rooms, No. 227 Bowery, Mr. NELSON W. YOUNG in the Chair. The Committee appointed to confer with Gen. CLUSERET, representative of the French Working Men's Association, respecting the establishment of a newspaper in the interest of the Society, reported in its favor, and the report was adopted. It was also determined that the Union should have a picnic this season, and a committee was appointed to complete the arrangements.

HENRY DUGAN, of No. 441 West Thirty-ninth-street, was brought up at the Essex Market Police Court yesterday, before Judge LEDWITH, charged with stabbing THOS. MCDERMOTT with a dirk knife. The particulars of the assault appeared in yesterday's TIMES. The prisoner acknowledged the commission of the offense, and was committed in default of $1,000 bail.

Last evening an unknown woman who had been wandering through the Novelty Iron-yard, at the foot of East Twelfth-street, was seen to jump into the East River, and before any assistance could be rendered she was drowned. The Police were immediately notified, but as yet have failed to recover the body or to establish the identity of the suicide.

A new route from New-York to Newport, R. I., opens June 1, via New-Haven, Shore Line and Newport and Wickford Railroads and steamboat, and also by Stonington steamboats. By this route the passage round Point Judith is avoided and Newport is reached in eight hours.

An inquest was held, yesterday, at No. 394 Avenue B, by Coroner KEENAN, in the case of JAMES CLANCY, aged fifty-five, who died from the effects of a compound fracture of the skull, sustained on the 11th inst. by a kick from a horse in the Bleecker-street car stables.

The body of an unknown boy, aged sixteen years, was found in the East River, yesterday, near Fulton Ferry. The remains were sent to the Morgue.

The remains of the man found floating in the East River, near Broome-street, were yesterday identified as those of JOSEPH BASLER, a native of France, formerly residing at No. 35 Ridge-street. The deceased had been out of employment for some time, and became very despondent, and it is supposed he committed suicide.

Mrs. MARGARET GURLEY, who burned herself at No. 150 Crosby-street, died yesterday at Bellevue Hospital, and Coroner FLYNN gave the necessary permit for the removal of the body by the relatives.

Mr. E. B. SHAFER, of this City, has resigned his position as Special Agent of the United States Treasury Department.

ELIZABETH SMYTH was held to answer at the Essex Market Police Court yesterday for stealing a gold watch and chain, worth $160, the property of SILAS B. SPERRY, of No. 242 East Twenty-third-street.

HENRY SIMON was detected on Thursday afternoon, attempting to steal several articles of jewelry, estimated at $880, from the premises of FREDERICK GRUNER, No. 100 East Third-street. He was brought up at the Essex Market Police Court yesterday, and committed for trial.

The following vessels arrived at Castle Garden yesterday with immigrants: Ship *Admiral*, from Bremen, 317 passengers; steamer *Britannia*, from Glasgow, 870; steamer *Allemannia*, from Hamburg, 782. Total 2,069.

The case of IGNATZ ELASKY, or ILLFONSKI, charged with having tampered with Government witnesses, was submitted to Commissioner OSBORN, yesterday, without argument. Decision will be rendered on Tuesday next.

BROOKLYN.

A suit against C. A. B. BERGEMANN, who was released on bail by the Court of Oyer and Terminer to answer a charge of will forgery, was tried at the City Court, yesterday, on the complaint of DOROTHEA WEISKIND, proprietor of a liquor-saloon, who sought to recover $5,000 loaned to him on various occasions. The defendant failed to appear, and judgment was obtained for $5,339 77, with costs.

The Brooklyn Academy of Medicine held their tenth annual meeting last night, in the hall of the Young Men's Christian Association, Dr. E. H. FIRTH, the President being absent, occupied the chair. The report of the Secretary, D. E. SMITH, showed the society to be in a flourishing condition. Drs. FIRTH, WILDER and ALLEN delivered addresses.

At the African Methodist Episcopal Conference, yesterday, a Committee of three was appointed to express the views of the Conference on the adoption of the Fifteenth Constitutional Amendment. The annual missionary sermon was preached in the evening by Rev. WM. SIMPSON.

The steamer *Cleopatra*, seized by the Collector of the Port of New-York, on a charge of bringing cigars from Cuba with intent to avoid payment of the duty on them, was libeled yesterday in the United States District Court, and process of attachment issued accordingly.

Nine hogsheads of ale, together with team, harness and truck, were seized by Collector FORD, while on their way from Betz' Brewery, on Fourth-street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, New-York, to the agency of that establishment in this City. The seizure, like a similar one lately, was made on the ground of neglect to cancel the stamps.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

JOHN WILLIAMS, a truckman of Fordham, caused the arrest of MICHAEL CARROLL, living in Forty-second-street, near Tenth-avenue, New-York, last Thursday, on a charge of defrauding him out of $70, which the complainant paid CARROLL for a horse which he represented to be sound in every respect, whereas the animal was found to be perfectly worthless. The examination of the accused will take place before Justice FULLER today.

A young scamp from Hart's Corners, by the name of GEO. W. ROBERTS, who was for a short time employed as a brakeman on the Harlem Railroad, is reported to be traveling round in all directions, among clergymen and prominent individuals of all denominations of Christians, borrowing and begging money under false pretenses. At a recent meeting of Methodist clergymen in New-York, it was discovered that several of them had been imposed upon by ROBERTS. The last haul reported to have been made by him was a suit of clothes, which he engaged to carry to Hart's Corners for a friend. Whether he sold them or concluded to wear them himself has not been ascertained, as he has been rather shy of late in visiting his old haunts.

Two rogues called at the residence of Mr. SPENCER, Spencer's Corners, in the township of Westchester, on Thursday afternoon, and while one of them occupied the attention of the gardener, who had charge of the place, the other ransacked some of the upper rooms, and stole a quantity of jewelry, some valuable dresses and other articles of ladies' attire. The scamps then rode off.

STATEN ISLAND.

The newly-appointed Police Commissioners for Richmond County met yesterday at Richmond, Staten Island, and appointed JOHN LA FORGE Captain of Police, Mr. EASTERBROOK, of the old Metropolitan force, Sergeant, and reappointed nine of the old patrolmen.

NEW-JERSEY.

At the meeting of the Hudson County Bar, convened to take action in reference to the death of Hon. WILLIAM C. MORRIS, Judge JOS. RANDOLPH presided. Appropriate resolutions were adopted, and glowing tributes to the memory of the deceased pronounced by Judge RANDOLPH and Messrs. RANSOM and WEART. The funeral took place yesterday morning, which was largely attended by the Bench and Bar, as well as citizens generally. Mr. MORRIS was a member of the New-Jersey Bar for fifty-two years; a resident of Hudson County for more than twenty years, and at one time Judge of the Court of Common Pleas.

Two drunken wagon-drivers, MULVANY and CROGAN, engaged in a brutal combat yesterday at the Morris and Essex Railroad Depot, at Newark, to the great delight of the admirers of the manly art, and the disgust of the railway passengers on the 1 o'clock train. One of the plugs stripped himself almost naked, while their employer, JOHN DEMPSEY, acted as a common umpire. Thirty-six rounds were fought in twenty-five minutes. Both men were badly bruised. The Police failed to put in an appearance.

A Newark builder named SPINKMAN, who had a shop mysteriously burned some time ago and recovered full insurance upon it, has recently absconded leaving debts amounting to over $8,000. He went to Hoboken, it appears, designing to embark on the steamer *Hansa*, but was prevented from doing this by learning that a Newark officer was on board the vessel looking for him. SPINKMAN was traced to a barber-shop where he had had his whiskers shaved off and put on disguises.

In the Newark A. M. E. Conference Rev. WM. H. PITTS was received yesterday as a delegate from the Virginia Conference, and Rev. J. C. GILBERT from the General Conference. A long discussion was held on the case of Rev. JAMES SIMMONDS, who was charged with having conspired to seize a church and society out of the connection.

Three young ladies, daughters of a Newark manufacturer, were assaulted by a lunatic while returning from school to their home near Waverly yesterday. The lunatic threw one of the ladies on the ground, but her companions fought him and drove him away. He was afterward arrested and was taken to the Newark Police Station, where his name was ascertained to be JOHN HARTER. He will be sent to the Lunatic Asylum.

In the Hudson County Circuit Court judgments for $8,000 et, and just as have been obtained, by LANE & MCGREGOR and ROBERT WARNOCK, respectively, against MARY E. SISSON. No defense was offered. MARY E. SISSON is the wife of J. G. SISSON, a director of the Erie Railway, and is a millionaire. Their rumored separation, some time since, has obtained some credence, since it is stated that Mr. SISSON refuses to be responsible for her debts.

Wednesday morning Officer BOWE arrested PATRICK JACKWIN and LUKE CLOUGHER for assaulting EDWARD KELLY, a bar-tender in FIRMAN's saloon, Jersey City. The accused are attached to a surveying schooner, and *habitués* of the establishment. They were both drunk, and attempted to assault the carpenter of a Cunard steam-ship, but KELLY interfered when, as alleged, they turned on him, cutting his hand with a knife, biting his arm and otherwise ill-using him. CLOUGHER procured bail but JACKWIN, in default, was committed to jail.

ARMY AND NAVY RECORD.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—As soon as the recruits recently ordered by the War Department to be sent to the Fourth Infantry in the Department of the Platte have been forwarded, the Superintendent of the general recruiting service at St. Louis, Mo., will forward under proper charge in detachments of convenient size 200 recruits from those which may be disposable at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, to Fort Shaw, Montana, for assignment to the Seventh United States Infantry.

Assistant Surgeon JOHN C. WISE has been ordered to the practice-ship *Savannah*. Third Assistant Engineer WM. S. MOORE to duty in the Bureau of Steam Engineering. Lieut. S. A. KIMBERLY has been detached from duty at the Hydrographic Office, in this city, and put on waiting orders.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—The United States steamer *Mohican* has sailed on a cruise.

Admiral Turner, of the Pacific Squadron, has been ordered to the East as the successor of Commodore Glisson.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, May 19.—The market for American Securities and for Stocks opened quiet and steady and closed dull. The course of the market during the day is shown by the following table:

	12 M.	2 P. M.	4½ P. M.
Consols for money	94⅞	94⅞	94⅞
Consols for account	94⅞	94⅞@94⅞	94⅞@94⅞
U. S. 5-20s of 1862	88⅞	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. 5-20s of 1865, old	88⅞	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. 5-20s of 1867	90⅞	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. 10-40s	86	[illegible]	86
Ill. Cen. R. R. Shares	112	[illegible]	111½
Erie R. R. Shares	18⅞	[illegible]	18⅞
A. & G. W. R. R. Sh's	25⅞	[illegible]	[illegible]

PARIS, May 20.—The Bourse opened and closed quiet; Rentes opened at 74f. 85c., and closed at 74f. 60c.

FRANKFORT, May 20.—United States five-twenty bonds opened active at 95⅞@96⅞ for the issue of 1862, and closed firm at 96⅞@96⅞.

LONDON, May 20—4½ P. M.—TALLOW, 44s. 6d. ⅌ cwt. LINSEED-OIL easier at £32 ⅌ ton.

LIVERPOOL, May 20—4½ P. M.—COTTON opened firm and closed quiet; Middling Uplands opened and closed at 10⅞d.@11d., and Middling Orleans at 11⅞d. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, including 2,000 bales for speculation and export. The shipments from Bombay, since the last report to date, were 25,000 bales. The sales of the week have been 80,000 bales, of which 6,000 were taken for export and 6,000 on speculation. The stock in port is estimated at 390,000 bales, of which 388,000 are American. The receipts of the week have been 121,000 bales, of which 84,000 were American. The stock of Cotton at sea, bound to this port, is estimated at 311,000 bales, of which 125,000 are American. TRADE REPORT—The market for yarns and fabrics at Manchester is quiet but firm. BREADSTUFFS—Wheat, 9s. 1d.@9s. 2d. ⅌ cental for No. 2 Red Western, and 9s. 10d. for Red Winter; 9s. 7d.@9s. 8d. ⅌ cental for California White. The receipts of Wheat at this port for the last three days have been 27,000 quarters, of which 25,000 are American. Corn, 28s. 6d. ⅌ quarter for European. Flour heavy. PROVISIONS—Pork dull at 100s. ⅌ bbl. for Eastern Prime Mess. Beef buoyant at 116s. ⅌ tierce of 304 lbs. for Extra Prime Mess. Naval Stores dull.

HAVRE, May 20.—COTTON opened firm, both on the spot and afloat; Tres Ordinaire on the spot, 130½f. ⅌ cwt.; Low Middling afloat, 128f. ⅌ cwt.

ANTWERP, May 20.—PETROLEUM opened quiet.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

ST. LOUIS, May 20.—TOBACCO active, but unchanged. COTTON nominal. FLOUR steady at $4 20@ $4 40 for Fall Superfine; $4 60@$5 for Extra; $5 50 for Double Extra. WHEAT—Spring unchanged; Fall lower; No. 2 Red, $1 05@$1 08, the latter inspected in elevator; No. 1 Red, $1 15; Choice, $1 20@$1 25. CORN—Best grades buoyant; others dull. Mixed, 95c.; Yellow, $1@$1 05; Choice to Fancy White, $1 02@$1 05. OATS dull at 58@62½c. BARLEY scarce at 95c. for Minnesota. RYE declining; sales at 95c. WHISKY steady at $1 02. PORK firm at $30@$30 50. Dry-salted Clear Sides, packed, 16¾c.@16⅞c. BACON firm at 15⅞c. for Shoulders; Clear Rib and Clear Sides, 17⅞c.@17¾c. LARD quiet at 16⅞c.@17c. for Kettle. CATTLE active; sales at $6 25@$7 25. LIVE HOGS steady at $9 00@$9 25 for Good to Choice. RECEIPTS—4,500 bbls. Flour, 25,000 bushels Wheat, 25,000 bushels Corn, 10,000 bushels Oats.

OSWEGO, May 20.—FLOUR active and unchanged; sales 2,500 bbls. at $5 75 for No. 1 Spring; $6 50 for Amber Winter; $7 for White, and $7 75@$8 for Double Extra, the latter chiefly at the outside; sales of 25,000 bbls. Wheat [illegible]. No. 1 Milwaukee Club at $1 14. CORN dull; $1 07@$1 08. OATS nominally 60c. RYE quiet. Canada. CORN-MEAL, $1 30 for bolted, and $1 25 for unbolted, ⅌ cwt. MILL-FEED in good demand; Shorts, [illegible]; Middlings, [illegible]. LAKE IMPORTS—[illegible]. Shipments to New-York, $1 75 to Hudson. Railroad FREIGHTS—[illegible]. Wheat, 30,000 bushels Corn, 2,000 bushels Barley, 10,000 bushels Oats [illegible]. [illegible] bushels Peas, 527,000 feet of Lumber.

CINCINNATI, May 20.—FLOUR firm and in better demand; Superfine $4 50@$4 75; Extra, $4 90@$5; Family, $5 10@$5 25. WHEAT in fair demand; Winter, $1 08@$1 10 for No. 2. [illegible] demand, $1 10@$1 12 for No. 1 [illegible]. CORN active [illegible]. Kentucky White, $1 05. RYE dull at $1 10@ $1 12. BARLEY [illegible]. OATS [illegible]. PORK quiet [illegible]. LARD dull and nominally [illegible]. City Keg, 16c. BULK MEATS quiet and firm at [illegible]. Shoulders, 13½c.; Sides, 16½c.@17⅞c. BACON [illegible]. EXCHANGE steady; par buying.

CHICAGO, May 20.—EXCHANGE unchanged. FLOUR a shade more active at $4 12½@$6 25 for Spring Extras. WHEAT dull at 94½c. for No. 2; during the afternoon dull and unsettled at 97c. for seller June. CORN quiet at 84½c.@85¾c. for No. 2; during the afternoon unchanged. OATS firm and higher at 51c.@51½c. for No. 2. RYE firmer at 81c. for No. 2. BARLEY nominal. HIGHWINES quiet, selling at $1 03. PROVISIONS dull. Mess PORK, $30. LARD steady at $6 20@$6 75 for stockers' to extra choice shipping Beeves. Live Hogs dull at $9 00@$9 25 fair to extra. RECEIPTS—4,800 bbls. Flour, 60,000 bushels Wheat, 100,000 bushels Corn, 25,000 bushels Oats, 3,000 bushels Rye, 4,200 bushels Barley, 6,000 Hogs. SHIPMENTS—4,000 bbls. Flour, 75,000 bushels Wheat, 82,000 bushels Corn, 21,600 bushels Oats, 2,800 bushels Rye, 2,500 bushels Barley, 3,500 Hogs. FREIGHTS quiet.

BUFFALO, May 20.—RECEIPTS—Flour, 3,000 bbls.; Wheat, 144,000 bushels; Corn, 36,000 bushels; Oats, 5,000 bushels; Barley, 1,200 bushels. SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 85,000 bushels; Oats, 15,000 bushels. FREIGHTS firm at 11½c. on Wheat, 10½c. on Corn and 6½c. on Oats to New-York. FLOUR steady but dull. WHEAT opened firm but closed weak; sales, 2,800 bushels Port Washington by sample at $1 05, and later at $1 07; 1,000 bushels No. 1 Milwaukee Club at $1 12; after Change 7,500 bushels No. 2 Milwaukee Club at $1 05. OATS quiet; sales, 2,000 bushels Western, to arrive, at 57c.; held at 60c. for Canada on the spot. Other articles dull and entirely nominal. HIGHWINES quoted dull at $1 05½. PORK firm at $30. LARD dull at 17c.

PHILADELPHIA, May 20.—COTTON dull; Middling Upland, 23½c. FLOUR steady, but demand very light; Extras at $5; Spring Wheat Extra Family, $5 50@$6 25; Fancy, $6@$7; other grades unchanged. WHEAT—Demand light and quotations barely maintained; Western Red, $1 25@$1 30; Pennsylvania do., $1 31@$1 41. RYE steady; Western $1 05; State, $1 07. CORN dull and declined 1c.; Yellow, $1 07@$1 08. OATS steady; Western, 63c.; State, 64c. PETROLEUM steady; Crude, 19½c.; Refined, 29½c. COFFEE dull; Rio, 14c.@17¾c.; Laguayra, 18½c. SUGAR dull at 8½c.@9⅞c. for fair and good Refining. MOLASSES dull. PROVISIONS unchanged. WHISKY nominal at $1 00 for Western iron-bound.

BALTIMORE, May 20.—COTTON very dull, with more sellers than buyers; Middling, 21½c.; sales, 265 bales; net receipts, 385 bales; coastwise, 227 bales; total, 1,072 bales; stock, 2,315 bales; net receipts of the week, 955 bales; coastwise, 680 bales; total, 1,645 bales; exports, to Great Britain, 188 bales; to the Continent, 355 bales; sales, 1,430 bales. FLOUR dull and weak; market slightly favors buyers. WHEAT dull and lower; Maryland Amber, $1 40@$1 50; Prime to strictly Choice Pennsylvania, $1 30@$1 35; Western, $1 25@$1 35. CORN dull and lower; White, $1 13@$1 15; Yellow, $1 13. OATS steady at 65c. RYE, $1 05@$1 10. Mess PORK firm at $30. BACON active; Rib sides, 17c.@17⅞c.; Clear Sides, 17⅞c.; Shoulders, 13c.@14⅞c. HAMS, 21c.@22c. LARD quiet at 17½c.@17⅞c. WHISKY quiet at $1 10@$1 12.

ALBANY, May 20.—Nothing doing in WHEAT. RYE nominal at $1 12@$1 15. CORN quiet; Round Yellow, $1 12. OATS unchanged; sales of State in bag lots at the elevator at 65c. There has this week there has been received from the Central Road 2,310 head of CATTLE; the market is tame, and ½c. ⅌ lb., live weight, lower; the quality of all the offerings is better than last week; the sales effected embrace 400 head of Stockers at 6¼c.@7½c., while a moderate number of good butchering Steers changed hands at 8¾c.@9c., and first quality at 9¼c.@9⅞c. The market for SHEEP rules dull, and from ⅛c.@¼c. lower than was realized last week; the only sale reported was one lead to go East, the average weight of which was 90 lbs., for which 6¾c. was obtained.

NEW-ORLEANS, May 20.—COTTON—Holders ask an advance, buyers operating with caution; Middling, 22⅛c.; sales, 1,300 bales; net receipts, 3,563 bales; coastwise, 159 bales; total, 4,041 bales; exports, to Cronstadt, 1,369 bales; to New-York, 35 bales; stock, 122,071 bales; net receipts of the week, 17,308 bales; coastwise, 1,054 bales; total, 18,759 bales; exports, to Liverpool, 5,709 bales; to Cronstadt, 1,369 bales; to Bremen, 2,120 bales; to Barcelona, 1,257 bales; to Havre, 11,168 bales; to Vera Cruz, 270 bales; to New-York, 2,464 bales; to Boston, 413 bales; sales, 11,000 bales.

TOLEDO, May 20.—FLOUR quiet. WHEAT quiet; No. 1 White Michigan, $1 45; Regular White Michigan, $1 30; Amber Michigan, $1 15; No. 1 Red, $1 12; No. 2 Red, $1 12; No. 2 Red, $1 08. CORN advancing; No. 1, 94c.; No. 2 Yellow, 97c. OATS steady; No. 1, 58½c.; No. 2, 56½c. FREIGHTS—5c. to Buffalo, 4½c. to Oswego. RECEIPTS—Flour, 3,000 bbls.; Wheat, 30,000 bushels; Corn, 10,000 bushels; Oats, 2,000 bushels. SHIPMENTS—Flour, 1,400 bbls.; Corn, 5,500 bushels; Oats, 1,100 bushels.

SAVANNAH, Ga., May 20.—COTTON in fair demand; Middling, 21¾c.; sales, 250 bales; receipts, 367 bales; exports, to the Continent, 485 bales; coastwise, 972 bales; stock, 26,283 bales Uplands, and 283 bales Sea Islands; receipts of the week, 7,582 bales; exports, to Great Britain, 3,158 bales; to the Continent, 2,485 bales; coastwise, 2,833 bales; sales, 2,700 bales.

LOUISVILLE, May 20.—COTTON dull; Middling, 21¼c. FLOUR and GRAIN unchanged. PROVISIONS firm. PORK, $30. BACON, 13¾c.@17¼c.@17⅞c. Bulk MEATS, 13¾c.@16¼c.@16⅞c. LARD, 17c. WHISKY, $1 02. TOBACCO—Sales 56 hhds. at $3 80@$8 for Lugs, and $7 50@$10 for medium to good Leaf.

CHARLESTON, S. C., May 20.—COTTON steady; Middling, 21⅞c.; Sea Islands, nominal; sales, 250 bales; receipts, 288 bales; stock, 7,361 bales; net receipts of the week, 2,702 bales; coastwise, 4 bales; total, 2,706 bales; exports, to Great Britain, 3,021 bales; coastwise, 1,835 bales; sales, 1,000 bales.

MEMPHIS, May 20.—COTTON dull at 20c.; receipts, 305 bales; exports, 344 bales; receipts of the week, 2,449 bales; exports, 4,156 bales; stock, 15,369 bales. FLOUR dull and nominal. CORN—White steady at $1 15@$1 18. OATS dull at 65c. LARD heavy. PORK dull at $30 50. BACON—Shoulders 13⅞c. Clear Sides 18c.

GALVESTON, Texas, May 20.—COTTON quiet; Good Ordinary, 18c.; receipts, 729 bales; exports, coastwise, 1,033 bales; stock, 28,421 bales; receipts of the week, 3,124 bales; exports, to Great Britain, 5,306 bales; to France, 1,285 bales; coastwise, 3,563 bales; sales, 450 bales.

MILWAUKEE, May 20.—WHEAT unsettled at 95c. for No. 1, and 95½c. for No. 2. OATS firm at 52c. for No. 2. CORN nominal. RYE—[illegible] No. 1. FREIGHTS unchanged. RECEIPTS—3,000 bbls. Flour, 84,000 bushels Wheat. SHIPMENTS—6,000 bbls. Flour, 39,000 bushels Wheat.

MOBILE, Ala., May 20.—COTTON quiet; Middling, 21⅞c.@21⅞c.; sales, 300 bales; receipts, 519 bales; exports, coastwise, 78 bales; stock, 44,396 bales; receipts of the week, 3,523 bales; exports, coastwise, 3,330 bales; sales, 7,250 bales.

BOSTON, May 20.—COTTON dull and nominal; Middling, 23½c.; sales, 100 bales; net receipts, 58 bales; coastwise, 461 bales; total, 519 bales; stock, 3,000 bales; net receipts of the week, 510 bales; coastwise, 3,025 bales; total, 3,535 bales; sales, 950 bales.

NORFOLK, Va., May 20.—COTTON quiet; Low Middling, 21c.; receipts, 165 bales; exports, coastwise, 0 bales; stock, 2,183 bales; receipts of the week, 1,970 bales; exports, coastwise, 1,773 bales; sales, 120 bales.

CLEVELAND, O., May 20.—WHEAT quiet; No. 1 Red, $1 17; No. 2 held at $1 11. CORN steady but unchanged. OATS steady at 57c. for No. 1 State. RYE quiet and unchanged. BARLEY nominal.

WILMINGTON, May 20.—Spirits TURPENTINE quiet at 36c. ROSIN firm at $1 50. Crude TURPENTINE a shade better; sales at $1 80@$3 25. TAR, $1 25. COTTON quiet at 20c.

AUGUSTA, Ga., May 20.—COTTON—Market quiet; sales, 200 bales; receipts 211 bales; Middling, 21½c.; sales of the week, 1,357 bales; receipts, 840 bales; stock, 12,620 bales.

DETROIT, May 20.—FLOUR steady at $6 50@$6 75 for Choice. WHEAT very firm; No. 1, $1 31. CORN quiet at 95c. OATS steady at 58c. for State and Canadian.

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 20.—COTTON—Receipts of the week, 300 bales; Exports—coastwise, 300 bales; Stock, 840 bales.

CITY POINT, Va., May 20.—COTTON—Receipts of the week, 157 bales.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 20.—COTTON—Receipts of the week, 94 bales.

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Weather Report.

NEW-YORK, Friday, May 20—8 A. M.

Place.	Wind.	Weather.	Ther.
Port Hastings	[illegible]	Hazy	[illegible]
Portland	[illegible]	Clear	[illegible]
Boston	S. W.	Clear	[illegible]
New-York	S. W.	Cloudy	[illegible]
Philadelphia	[illegible]	Cloudy	[illegible]
Wilmington, Del.	[illegible]	Cloudy	[illegible]
Washington	[illegible]	Cloudy	[illegible]
Richmond	[illegible]	Cloudy	[illegible]
Charleston	[illegible]	Cloudy	[illegible]
Savannah	[illegible]	Cloudy	[illegible]
Augusta, Ga.	[illegible]	Cloudy	[illegible]
Oswego	N. W.	Cloudy	[illegible]
Buffalo	[illegible]	Cloudy	[illegible]
Pittsburg	[illegible]	Clear	[illegible]
Chicago	[illegible]	Cloudy	[illegible]
Louisville	S. W.	Cloudy	[illegible]
Mobile	[illegible]	Cloudy	[illegible]
New-Orleans	[illegible]	Clear	[illegible]
Key West	[illegible]	Clear	[illegible]
Havana	[illegible]	Clear	[illegible]

Movements of Ocean Steamers.

FOR EUROPE.

Helvetia	May 21	New-York	Liverpool
Donau	May 21	New-York	Bremen
City of London	May 21	New-York	Liverpool
Manhattan	May 21	New-York	Liverpool
Bellona	May 21	New-York	London

FOR ASPINWALL.

Henry Chauncey	May 21	New-York	Aspinwall

Foreign Mails Close at Post-Office.

SATURDAY.

For Europe, via Southampton and Bremen, by the *Donau*, at 11 M. Supplementary Mail for paid letters only on pier foot of Second-street, Hoboken, until [illegible] P. M.

For Aspinwall, Panama, South Pacific and Central American ports, by the *Henry Chauncey*, at 10½ A. M.

Closing of Domestic Mails.

North, Poughkeepsie Way	5 A. M.; 2 P. M.	
North, through, via H. R. R. R. and New-York Central	5 A. M.; 4:30, 8 P. M.	
North Way, via Harlem R. R.	[illegible]	
Chatham Four Corners	7 A. M.	
East, via New-Haven	5 A. M.; 1:30, 8 P. M.	
East, via Newport	5 A. M.	
East, New-Haven Way	5 A. M.; 2:30 P. M.	
East, Fall River, mail	5 P. M.	
South, Through	7 A. M.; 7:30 P. M.	
Philadelphia Way	5 A. M.; 4:30 P. M.	
West Mail, through to Harrisburg, Pittsburg, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Louisville, Indianapolis, Columbus, Chicago, St. Paul, St. Joseph, Salt Lake and Denver	7 A. M.; 3:00 P. M.	
West Mail, through to Cleveland, Toledo, and by A. & G. Western R. R. to Franklin and Meadville, Penn., &c.	5 A. M.; 4:30 P. M.	

Passengers Arrived.

In steam-ship *North America*, from Rio Janeiro—Albert H. Hager, Elizabeth W. Blackford, Miss Mary E. Steen and maid, Joseph M. Lee, Miss Mary A. Lee, Elijah Barton and family, Deborah Pitman, Col. Geo. H. Church, Otis Frank, Louis T. Blackfoot, Wm. F. H. Beasley and family, James C. Cobb and family, Julia Hargreave, Francois Nourisol and family, John Mulligan, Thomas Miller and family, James McNabb and family, Johanna O'Donohoe and family. From Pernambuco—H. H. Swift, wife and 2 children, Louis F. Javares. From Para—Don Baton, Louis Robinson, Joaquim Marques de Cavalho. From St. Thomas—Mrs. Col. Tine, Fred. R. Wells, N. H. Stockwell, wife and child, (Charles F. Latham, Louis Sanches, Thos. Hutchinson, V. Richardson, Geoffrey Galli, M. D. Gonzales, John Holbrook, Hon. James B. Partridge and daughter, Charles Cadiz, Charles Percival and wife, Frank E. Passmore, Robert Moran, Alfonso C. Pierce, A. E. Philip and wife, Mrs. James R. Wheeler and 2 children, A. V. B. Cameron, A. D. Middleton, Charles Crosby, Capt. J. G. Crosby, F. H. Nicola, E. C. Preyn, Mrs. J. Berry and child, A. McLean, T. Griffin, Mrs. Mary Pierce and child, Jose G. Munez, Thomas Marshall, Wm. Knight, E. F. Folsom, B. Folsom, P. W. Folsom, Frank Guckert, Capt. W. B. Hilton, Robert Perkins.

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MINIATURE ALMANAC—THIS DAY.

Sun rises.... 4 36 | Sun sets.... 7 18 | Moon rises.12 22

HIGH WATER—THIS DAY.

Sandy Hook.12 50 | Gov. Island. 1 39 | Hell Gate.... 3 01

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

NEW-YORK....FRIDAY, May 20.

Arrived.

Steam-ship *America*, Slocum, Rio Janeiro April 25, Bahia 29th, Pernambuco May 1, Para 9th and St. Thomas 14th, with mdse. and passengers to Wm. R. Garrison. April 28, lat. 21 16 S., lon. 40 27 W., spoke steam-ship *Sampson*, (Br.,) 35 ds. from Gibraltar, who reported that on April 25 broke her shaft, and her machinery was considerably disabled since that time, and had made 210 miles under canvas; offered to tow her to Bahia or take her passengers off, which was not accepted, and she concluded to make for Rio Janeiro under canvas; she had on board 130 passengers; May 7, off the Amazon, spoke steam-ship *Merrimack*, hence bound into Para, all well; the steam-ship *Parnesmoor* (Br.) went ashore, April 30, at Cerea, on her way out to sea, and was a total loss; her passengers and baggage were saved.

Steam-ship *Saxon*, (N. G.,) Schwensen, Bremen April 28, with mdse. and 527 passengers to Thiel, Motz & Co. Has had light westerly winds on the passage, with fog and rain and generally heavy westerly swell; May 8, lat. 47, lon. 33 30, spoke bark Monarch, (N. G.,) from Bremen for New-York, with passengers, 38 ds. out; same time passed a Norwegian bark showing a signal with letters C. P. R. G., bound W.; May 11, lat. 42 10, lon. 62 30, passed steam-ship *Arizona*, (Br.,) bound E.; 12th, lat. 42 14, lon. 67, spoke bark Amaranth (N. G.,) from Bremen for New-York; 13th, lat. 41, lon. 69 30, spoke bark Helmuth, (N. G.,) from Bremen for New-York, 31 ds. out.

Steam-ship *Britannia*, (Br.,) Campbell, Glasgow May 6, and Moville 8th, with mdse. and 870 passengers to Henderson Bros. Experienced moderate weather the entire passage; May 19, 30 miles E. from Nantucket, passed steam-ship *Scotia*, hence for Liverpool; same day, off Nantucket, passed a German steamer, bound E.

Steam-ship *Cambria*, (Br.,) Martyn, Liverpool May 5, and Queenstown 6th, via Boston 18th, in ballast to C. G. Francklyn.

Steam-ship *Fanita*, Freeman, Philadelphia, with mdse. to J. Lorillard.

Steam-ship *City of Port-au-Prince*, Jackson, Port-au-Prince May 14, via Gonaives 12, and Inagua 13th, with logwood, coffee, &c., and 27 passengers to R. Murray, Jr.

Steam-ship *E. C. Knight*, Johnson, Washington, D. C., with mdse. to Phillips & Brown.

Ship *Admiral*, (N. G.,) Hasslopp, Bremen 48 ds., in ballast and 317 passengers to Herman Boker. Came the northern passage, and had westerly gales to the Banks. Has had 2 deaths on the passage. May 4, lat. 46, lon. 74 10, passed a number of icebergs, two of them 300 feet high.

Ship *R. C. Scranton*, Williams, Liverpool April 5, with mdse. to Lawrence, Giles & Co. Has had light weather, from lon. 40, with much rain and fog; May 14, Absecom Beach, [illegible]. [illegible] 81 [illegible] Sandy Hook, took a pilot from [illegible].

Ship *Cyanure*, Osborne, Liverpool [illegible] ds., with mdse. [illegible].

[illegible] Gertrude, (Norw.,) from Liverpool, for Quebec, 27 ds. out.

Bark *Luisiana Serra*, (Ital.,) Cassone, Licata 71 ds., with sulphur to order—vessel to Funch, Edye & Co. Passed Gibraltar March 31, and had light winds and calms the entire passage.

Bark *Simeto*, (Ital.,) Maccari, Palermo 56 ds., with fruit to Bagbell & Day. Passed Gibraltar April [illegible], and had light winds and calms the entire passage.

Bark *Choice*, (of Scotland,) Harrison, Colombo Feb. 16, with coffee to Frye & Ramsay. Passed Cape of Good Hope March 27, and crossed the equator April 24, in lon. 33. Has had light winds and fine weather the entire passage.

Bark *Scotia Queen*, (of Maitland, N. S.) Grant, Montevideo 56 ds., with hides to order—vessel to H. J. De Wolf & Co. Crossed the equator April 21, in lon. 35 41, and had light winds and calms the entire passage.

Bark *Betty*, (Swed.,) Rossiland, Rio Grande do Sul 57 ds., with hides, &c., to Gomez & Co.—vessel to Funch, Edye & Co. Crossed the equator April 22, in lon. 34 [illegible], and had fine weather the entire passage.

Bark *Lindo*, (of Halifax,) Carmichael, Montevideo 50 ds., with hides to order—vessel to Duncan, McColl. Had light winds and calms the entire passage; crossed the equator April 23, in lon. 35 40, and has been 15 ds. W. of Bermuda.

Bark *H. L. Routh*, Martin, Beaulieu, Eng., 55 ds. with railroad iron to Thos. Dunham's Nephew & Co. Has been 21 ds. W. of the Banks, with N. W. winds and calms.

Bark *Dannebrog*, (Norw.,) Jorgensen, Bordeaux 40 ds., with mdse. to Daniel St. Amant—vessel to Funch, Edye & Co. Has had fine weather the entire passage.

Brig *Moses Rogers*, Dickerson, Rio Janeiro 38 ds., with coffee to order. Is anchored in the Lower Bay.

Brig *Amilcare*, (Ital.,) Patruno, Marseilles March 18, with mdse. to James Henry—vessel to Funch, Edye & Co. Passed Gibraltar April 4, and had light winds and calms the entire passage.

Brig *Antelope*, (Dutch,) Lovers, Rio Grande do Sul 70 ds., with hides to Christian Thomsen. Crossed the equator April 15, in lon. 33, and had light winds and calms the entire passage.

Schr. *C. P. McIlvain*, Mullen, Elizabethport, for Albany.

Schr. *C. E. Paynter*, Hawkins, Elizabethport, for Westport.

Schr. *David Nelson*, Stillwell, Elizabethport, for Portchester.

Schr. *John Price*, Nickerson, Elizabethport, for Salem.

Schr. *Cynthia Jane*, Gardner, Providence, for Elizabethport.

Schr. *Empire*, Baker, New-London, for Elizabethport.

Schr. *Maggie Bell*, Hall, Rockland, with lime to J. R. Brown.

Schr. *John Warren*, Meagher, Providence, for Rondout.

Schr. *Edward Lindesley*, Hill, Connecticut River, for Elizabethport.

Schr. *F. Flower*, Clark, Port Johnson, for Augusta, Me.

Schr. *H. W. Benedict*, Hubble, Northport, for Woodbridge.

Schr. *Jane Carlton*, Brown, Fall River, for Georgetown, D. C.

Schr. *J. H. Burnett*, Chase, Musquash, N. B., 12 ds., with spiles to Snow & Richardson.

Schr. *Only Son*, Eastman, Elizabethport, for Gardiner, Me.

Schr. *Julia Ann*, Wells, Elizabethport, for Saybrook.

Schr. *New-Zealand*, Searle, Elizabethport, for Newburyport.

Schr. *George & Edgar*, Smith, Elizabethport, for Norfolk.

Schr. *Wm. S. O'Brien*, O'Brien, Elizabethport, for New-Haven.

Schr. *Martha Nichols*, Small, Machias 6 ds., with lumber to Simpson & Clapp.

Schr. *Abraham*, Thompson, Gardiner, Me., with ice to James Whitehead.

Schr. *Moonlight*, Bradford, Calais 10 ds., with lumber to Jed Frye & Co.

Schr. *H. Nichols*, Depew, Virginia.

Schr. *Sea Bird*, Lorgan, Virginia.

Schr. *Mary Isabel*, Green, Port Jefferson.

Schr. *Clarabelle*, Lolly, Rockport, Me.

Schr. *Chris*, Buise, Connecticut River.

Schr. *Rosina*, Cummings, Elizabethport, for Boston.

Schr. *Wm. Thomas*, Wallis, Fall River.

Schr. *Stephen Waterman*, Chase, New-Bedford.

Schr. *[illegible]*, Bynum, Warren, R. I.

Schr. *[illegible]*, Greenwich.

Schr. *[illegible]*, New-Bedford.

Schr. *Maria Louisa*, Snow, Cape Ann.

Schr. *[illegible]*, Hall, Rockland, lime to J. R. Brown.

Schr. *Sam Warren*, Bishop, Sag Harbor.

Schr. *H. Henry*, Lewis, Portland, Conn.

Schr. *Kossuth*, Hopkins, Glen Cove.

Schr. *Martha*, [illegible], New-Haven.

Schr. *J. Walker*, Lingard, Elizabethport, for Salem.

Schr. *T. Parks*, Burt, Elizabethport, for Newburg.

Schr. *Dirigo*, Weeks, Elizabethport, for Boston.

Schr. *[illegible]*, Stafford, Elizabethport, for Annapolis.

Schr. *L. A. Webb*, Webb, Elizabethport, for Boston.

Schr. *Helen*, Searle, Elizabethport, for Newport.

Schr. *H. S. Collins*, Hill, Hartford.

Schr. *Jane*, Gorham, New-Haven, for Elizabethport.

Schr. *Exeter*, Chase, Providence.

Schr. *J. H. Borden*, Baldwin, Fall River.

Schr. *Wm. Gilium*, Bust, Portland, Conn.

Schr. *S. H. Cady*, Wood, Elizabethport, for Chelsea.

Schr. *Mary Brockway*, Conklin, New-Haven.

WIND—At sunset, light, S., hazy.

SAILED—Steam-ship *Niagara*, for Richmond.

Below.

Bark *Alexander*, (Swed.,) Almfeldt, from Antwerp 41 ds., with mdse. to Funch, Edye & Co. (By pilot-boat Chas. H. Marshall, No. 1.)

By Telegraph.

BOSTON, May 20.—Arr. steamers Rattlesnake, from Philadelphia; Aries, from Philadelphia; Glaucus, from New-York; bark Ella, from Buenos Ayres; brig Hans, from Philadelphia; schrs. A. C. Buckley, from Ponce; Eva Adell, from Lyons; W. E. Bickford, from Port-au-Prince; Adella Kelly, from New-York; bark Kate Harding, from Liverpool.

CHARLESTON, S. C., May 20.—Arr. brigs Village Belle, Cardenas; Koenning, Philadelphia; schrs. E. A. Hooper, Philadelphia; Gov. Burton, Philadelphia.

Sld. schr. Hattie, for a Northern port; steamer J. W. Everman, for Philadelphia.

FORTRESS MONROE, Va., May 20.—Passed in for Baltimore—Bark Windsor, from Mayaguez; brig Chattanooga, from St. John's, P. R.; ship Valley Forge, from Callao, received orders for New-York to take outside the Capes.

Sld. ship Edward Hyman, for New-York; brig General Wool, for Baltimore; bark Eastern Queen, for London.

HOLMES' HOLE, May 19, 8 A. M.—Arr. brigs Leona, (Br.,) G. T. Tompkins (Br.); schrs. Abbie H. Brown, Castle Royer, Golden Eagle, Louisa, Hester, Warren B. Hopkins, Charles P. Stickney, Michael Henry Clay, Walter E. Thompson, Riverside, Maggie J. Chadwick, H. C. Hand, Elizabeth Cowell, William Carroll, Royal Oak, Julia & Martha, Lizzie, Ruth, J. Leonard, A. Hammond, Petrel, Elizabeth, and J. McCloskey.

P. M.—No arrivals.

Sld. schrs. Hesperus and Globe.

In port—Schrs. Philanthropist and Transfer.

20th, A. M.—Arr. schr. John C. Henry, Lynn, for Philadelphia.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—Arr. ship Voyager, from Newcastle, N. S. W.

Sld. bark Glencour, for Peru.

Miscellaneous.

The bark Margaretta (N. G.,) Petersen, from Amoy, which arrived 19th, is consigned to Wendt, Tobias & Beckmann, not as before reported.

Marine Disaster.

KEY WEST, Fla., May 20.—The steamer *Zodiac*, from Philadelphia for New-Orleans, ran on French Reef on the 18th inst. She threw her coal overboard and got off.

Spoken, &c.

Figaro—N. G. bark, from Foochow for Falmouth, Eng., April 21, lat. 22 25 S., lon. 11 20 E.

Hermann—Norw. ship, from Bremen for Quebec, April 16, lat. 50 23, lon. 5 10.

Laura—N. G. bark, from Bremen, for Baltimore, April 16, lat. 50 20, lon. 5 10.

Foreign Ports.

At Port-au-Prince, May 20, barks R. Murray, Jr., Pennington; Elizabeth, (Br.,) Campbell; and Mary Bentley, Clark, wtg.; brigs Isadora, wtg.; Jane, Allen, sailed for Miragoane to load for Boston; schrs. L. P. Knight, Harvey, ldg.; Ann, wtg.; Laura, Judd, arrived at Inagua from Port-au-Prince.

EUROPEAN MARINE NEWS.

Arrived Out.

LONDONDERRY, May 20.—The Allan line steam-ship *Ottawa*, from Quebec for Liverpool, was signaled off this port today.

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